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THE SILVER ANNIVERSARY BUICK.

SHOW TO-DAY

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ECRET DOCUMEN SENSATION.

MR HORAN NOT GUILTY OF THEFT.

PUBLICATION REGARDED AS UNFRIENDLY ACT.

ETHICAL BREACH.

Paris, Oct. 9. The sensation created by, the killed instantaneously. arrest and expulsion from France of the well-known American parst Press of an official French document relating to the Anglo-French naval compromise, alleged

abated. Wild rumours regarding the manner in which the document was obtained are in circulation. but French diplomatic circles emphasise that Horan was not accused of stealing the document from the archives of the Foreign Office, but only with publishing a State document without the consent of the Government.

Breach of Ethics.

It is pointed out that such an action was a serious breach professional ethics towards the

French authorities.

Enquirles on the subject at the Quai D'Orsay to-day revealed that there has been no official American demarche in regard to the case of Horan, Mr. Armour, the United States Charge D'Affaires called at the Qual D'Orsay yesterday semi-officially to enquire into the truth of the reports that Mr. Horan held been arrested and imprisoned.

The French Foreign Office officials replied that the reports of the manner in which Mr. Horan was treated by the French Police are quite untrue.

Unscemly Act.

The French position was also carefully explained, the Quai D'Orsay pointing out to Mr. in the world. the French Government in know- foreigners. ingly making use of its private property.

information in the New York American since its appearance a week or so Paris, a Hearst agency, upon which Mr. Horan, the head of the office, was summoned to the Qua D'Orsay, Chicago some 10,000 less than the land attack and prodocument from Mr. Hearst him-

Mr. Hearst Hurrledly Leaves.

Mr. Hearst was then in Paris. but on learning that the French authorities were taking a serious view of the affair, he hurried to Washington in order to seek the assistance of Mr. Frank Kellogg, the American Secretary of State. Mr. Hearst declared that he assumed full responsibility for the in- RAPIDLY REGAINING ITS OLD cident and asked the intervention of the American Ambassador in

Paris. Two or three days later, Mr. Horan was again summoned to the which before the War was the youth are the pillars of the nation. Foreign Office. He gathered the impression during this interview that some arrangement might be possible, but when arriving at the door of his office in a car yesterday, he was held up by a posse of police and conveyed to the police station for a long interrogation.

Eventually, he was given the option of being tried for possession of the stelen document, and of remaining in prison in the meantime. or of leaving France by Thursday. He chose the latter course.

Mr. Hearst Calls it Fuss.

New York, Oct. 9. Mr. Hearst, interviewed, said he saw no reason why the French Government should make such a fuss unless the agreement contained something whereof they were ashamed. He added; "If the French machinations and secret diplomacy involve the world in another great war, as they are likely to do, she need not again count on the United States to rescue her on the table a Bill legalising the worthy of the occasion. from disaster."-Reuter's Ameri sterilisation of persons dangerous Kan Service.

YORK SOCIETY TRAGEDY.

RECENTLY WIDOWED LADY'S SUICIDE.

POIGNANT NOTE LEFT

New York, Oct. 9. A poignant tragedy occurred at a fashionable hotel in the heart of the city to-day when Mrs. Arthur Edward Stilwell committed suicide by jumping into the street from a twelfth-storey window. She was

that she could not live without her husband, who died a fortnight ago. Holiday which, falling on the 10th journalist, Mr. Horace Horan, as They were married in 1879, and a sequel to the publication in the would have celebrated their gol- Calendar) is aptly called the den wedding next year.

Here husband, a prominent American railway constructor, claimed the possession of considerto have been stolen, is as yet un- able physic powers. Many years ago he built a railway from Kansas City to the Gulf of Mexico, making Port Arthur, a town which he specially designed and built, the terminus instead of Galveston, which appeared to be the much more natural place.

"acting upon the advice of the other world, and his trust was confirmed for, within a year, Galveston was almost wiped out by tidal wave.

sident of the Kansas Railway onnortunity was taken to inculcate when only 32 years of age .-Reuter's American Service.

SHANGHAI'S HUGE POPULATION.

SIXTH LARGEST CITY OF THE WORLD.

47,000 FOREIGNERS.

Shanghai, Oct. 10. Chinese authorities claims that corations. Promptly at nine Shanghai is the sixth largest city o'clock, Mr. K. L. Chau, M.A., the

Armour that Horan had committed The total population is given as Cheung Man-cheu. After prayer an unfriendly and unseemly act to 2,726,0000, of which 47,760 are and music by the band, the two

According to the returns, the The French Government, it population of the French Conces- address of the day speaking has been endeavour- sion is 358,000, the International classical Chinese, followed with source Settlement 855,000 and Greater such colloquial as the youngest publish- Shanghai 1,513,000 .- Reuter.

The latest books of reference seventeenth anniversary of the It was apparently traced to give only four cities with larger Chinese Republic is the happiest Universal News Service in populations than that now claimed one we have celebrated because for Shanghai, namely London, during the sixteen years previous New York, Berlin and Paris, with there have been many difficulties Chicago some 16,000 less than the and struggles. In order to acquire

London	1				1				7,476,168
New Y	0	-	k						6,103,384
Berlin									4,000,000
Paris .					٠				8,000,000
Chicago	0			4			4		2,701,705

HAMBURG-AMERICA LINE.

POSITION.

Berlin, Oct. 9. largest shipping concern in the to regain its old position.

A new building programme, pro- and elevate society. viding for the construction of 20 "Although I am old, I have ocean ships and 18 motor ships, ambition still, and I except the has been practically completed, young men of to-day to utilise making the Company's total net their education and knowledge to tonnage over 1,000,000 tons, com- help the country to be prosperous pared with only 4,200 ions in 1918, and powerful. In the years to when the Company's ships were come, this celebration will be surrendered to the Allies,-Renter, an endless occasion, with

DANES & HEREDITARY TRAITS.

DRAFT BILL LEGALISING STERILISATION.

Copenhagen, Oct. 9. The Danish Government has laid to public safety .- Reuter.

DUAL FESTIVAL CELEBRATED.

NUMEROUS HONGKONG GATHERINGS.

COMMUNISM DENOUNCED AT CONFUCIAN MEETING.

HOPES FOR CHINA.

show of Chinese flags in Hong- the Don District Finance Departkong 'na is in evidence to-day. The victim left a note saying due to the celebration of the Chinese Republican National day of the 10th month (Gregorian Double Tenth, going hand in hand with that marking the anniversary of the birth of the great Chinese Sage, Confucius.

The red flag with the white sun on a blue sky-the emblem of the Kuomintang-for the first time entirely superseded the fivebarred flag, and with the British red ensign, made a vivid display of colour in the main streets.

in keeping with the precedent of previous years, most of the He said that he took this step Chinese schools and colleges, as well as Chinese hongs and shops, have been enjoying a holiday to mark the even. Concerts and other functions were held last night and to-day in most of the Chinese Mr. Arthur Stilwell was the pre- scholastic institutions at which the ideas of the Sage into the minds of the young, together with timely talks regarding the nature of the Republican celebrations. A feature of the Confucian Society's celebration was a spirited denunciation of Communism as being contrary to the teachings of

the Sage. Y.M.C.A. Observances.

The Chinese Y.M.C.A. observed the day with a full programme. From nine to ten in the moring the student celebration took place. Twelve schools were represented.

The playground adjoining the Boys' Building was prepared with A census just completed by the two flag poles, and suitable de-President, took the platform with Sir Shouson Chow and the Rev. flags were raised together and given a cheer.

Then Sir Shouson Chow gave the student could grasp. His address was, in part, as follows:-"The sperity we have to make sacrifices. At present the North and the South have been united, and we are getting rid of our misunderstandings. Now with a true spirit of patriotism we can devote our energies to righteousness and justice. With such a foundation and such efforts we can expect peace and prosperity in the country.

Youth Needed.

"We must alsow depend upon talent. We require well-educated neonle to run the country. We must choose this talent from The Hamburg-America Line, among the youth of to-day. Our world, with a total not tonnage of opportunities, therefore you must 1,360,000 tons, is steadily striving study hard, and learn self-control. to regain its old position. When your education is completed, you can help the country

creasing significance, year after this celebration."

100,000 Firecrackers.

the Republic, the flag, and the trade, speaker, the field was cleared for

(Continued on Page 7.)

CORRUPTION TRIAL HANKOW'S RECENT CONCLUDED.

DON DISTRICT "FINANCIERS" SENT TO JAIL.

BRIBE ORGANISATION.

Riga, Oct. 9. Arrested over four months ago in the course of an intensive Police campaign following reports of official corruption, the trial has just concluded of 180 managers, Seldom has there been such a inspectors and other officials of

They were indicted on charge of systematically receiving bribes and incorrectly recording traders' profits, as the result of which the Government revenue was seriously five and a half hours on September

The accused men included M. Origdoff, the Assistant Director Finance Department of the

TERRIBLE MASSACRES IN KANSU.

Moslem Fanatics in Orry of Murder.

ABOUT 200,000 KILLED!

New York, Oct. 9. A shocking story of massacre and terrible atrocities is expected to come to light from Kansu Province, China, in the next few days.

According to information received at the New York headquarters of the China Famine Relief Organisation, Moslem fanatics have run amok in different parts of the province.

It is reported that about 200,000 persons have been massacred .- Reuter's American Service.

with abusing their authority by the organisation of assaults upon

terms varying from ten years to three months, with loss of political

acquitted.—Reuter.

AMERICAN AVIATION ACCIDENTS.

ALARMING FIGURES SHOWN IN OFFICIAL REPORT.

Washington, Oct. 9. during the first six months of 1928, dreds of small huts constructed of 390 aeroplanes crashed in the matting and straw. United States.

sons were injured.

You have such qualifications and presents an increase of 190 accidents compared with the whole of 1927 .- Reuter.

AUSTRALIA COASTAL TRADE.

TO BE OPEN TO BRITISH SHIPPING.

London, Oct. 9.

year. . We must give three cheers Sydney, Mr. Bruce, the Australian the district was without light save for the Chinese Republic and Prime Minister, announced the that which came from the tremenclauses of the Australian Naviga- sky for miles around. tion Act.

This will permit British ships to

DISASTER.

FIRE CAUSES MUCH DEVASTATION,

FLAMES SWEEP THROUGH NATIVE CITY.

PANIC EVERYWHERE.

Hankow papers to hand give graphic details of the fire which of rescue, but it is feared that swept through a large area of congested native dwellings with a 25th. With the wind behind it the fire epread with alarming rapidity, leaping from one section of thwellings to another leaving nothing but charred and blackened ruin in its wake and for a time

devastating onrush to the business section of the city. Panic, reigned everywhere. Shricking, women and frenzied men rushed blindly in all directions. Children ecreamed and were trampled underfoot as the terrifled residents dashed madly to eafety before the increasing conflagration.

defying all efforts to prevent its

Raging Inferno.

The presence of soldiers summoned for the prevention of looting added to the pandemonium as they struggled to force back the encroaching aroulds of spectators. Huge iron electric light standards wilted and crumbled under the terrific heat.

Brick building lafter brick building crumbled and crashed into the raging inferno as it devoured section after section of the district. From midnight until dawn the fire raged unchecked. leaving in its path a waste ruin, desolution and destruction pitiful to behold.

Impossible Task.

.The first brigades had an im-Others were additionally charged possible task by the time they reached the scene of the outbreak. Fanned into a fury comparable only to a prairie or bush fire, Of the 130 officials who stood the flames devoured the highly for trial, 121 were convicted and combustible material provided for sentenced to imprisonment for them in the tiny straw and mat huts crowded together in thousands in that district. What little rights and confiscation of pro- fire-fighting appliances were available to the native fire brigade and Nine of the accused were what little pressure of water could be obtained from the mains in that district were absolutely powerless against the force and strength of the outbreak. It consumed what it willed and raged unchecked for upwards of five hours.

Origin of Outbreak.

The fire had its origin in a tlny volution, and criticizing straw but in the vicinity of Chang- Japanese policy, urging the adoptengtse and was caused by the tion of a new policy, under which over-turning of a lamp during a co-operation for the mutual pros-A toll of the air in the United mah jongg game. The whole of perity of the two peoples must be States entirely unprecedented is the block bounded by Changteng- the keynote.-Router. revealed by an official report tse, Chi Sen San Maloo and Chi issued by the Department of Sen Sze Maloo consists of nothing Commerce, which states that more than a collection of hun-

. With such ready material and The loss of life entailed by backed up by a stiff breeze the these mishaps is given as 153, outbreak soon assumed serious while two or three hundred per- proportions and in a short time was completely out of hand. The The casualty list disclosed re- wind, blowing in a north-easterly resents an increase of 190 acci- direction, carried the flames and embers with terrific speed to the and soon had a strangle-hold in that quarter.

A third block of huts and brick reasonable range.

Electric lamp poles crashed and burned under the force of the the course of a speech at blaze and suddenly the whole of thank the Y.M.C.A, for arranging intention of repealing the coastal dous glare of the fire which lit the

Pandemonium Reigns,

Following the rousing cheers for engage in the Australian coastal . And amidst it all came the usual wailing screaming and general din Mr. Bruce further intimated from those who had lost their all in a safe distance to make room for that tariff protection would be the consuming flames. Those who (Continued on Page 4.)

DISASTER. UNCOMPLETED PREMISES

PRAGUE BUILDING

COLLAPSE ON WORKERS.

60 BURIED IN DEBRIS

Prayue, Oct. 9. . A terrible disaster occurred in the heart of the city this morning when a building in the course of construction collapsed without warning, the majority of the workmen being buried alive. Hundreds of people were quickly on the scene, assisting in the work

sixty lives have been lost. The structure was one of five storey, and the greater part of ferocity that defied the combined the exterior work had already efforts of the local fire brigades for been completed. When the collapse occurred 87 men were working inside the premises, according to the contractors.

Twenty-seven of the employees managed to scramble from the Headquarters in Nanking with ruins practically unaided, but their impressive ceremonial, at which fellows were buried deep in the Messrs. Wu Tee-hui, Li Shin-tseng debris. The most remarkable fea- and Chang Ching-king officiated. ture of the mishap was that the whole building collapsed like a pack of cards.

it will be some time before the new Yuan following in their order rescue-workers are able to reach of precedence. the men who were working in the lower storeys at the time of the collapse. Sixteen bodies have

been extricated so far. The building was of reinforced concrete, and the builliers attribute the destruction to inferior cement which failed to set in the guaranteed time. - Reuter.

COMMUNISM RIFE JAPAN.

TRADE UNIONISTS TARRED WITH THE BRUSH.

ATTACK LEGISLATION.

Osaka, Oct. 9. tatives of the various Trade at present in Nanking will also Unions in Japan were present at take their oath. Reuter learns the annual opening to-day of the that there was considerable annual meeting of the Japanese opposition at yesterday's meeting Federation of Trade Unions.

known Japanese Labourite, Chang Hauch-linng, the young presided.

demanding the abrogation of the views of those stressing the Law for the Maintenance of Peace | necessity for the unification of and Order, under which hundreds the country prevailed. of Communists were rounded up last Spring, (on the discovery of extensive Bolshevik plots). Speakers strongly condemned

the present policy of the Japanese Government, particularly in refer- | took part this morning in a mass ence to their attitude to China; meeting on the Public Athletic After several outspoken speeches Ground, held in commemoration had been made, a resolution was of the Nationalist troops who died passed congratulating China on in the cause. the progress of the national re-

NEW YORK YANKEES WIN CHAMPIONSHIP.

ST. LOUIS DEFEATED FOUR TIMES SUCCESSIVELY.

New York, Oct. 9. By defeating the St. Louis Cardinneighbouring block of buildings als to-day in the fourth match of lanterns on the river at night.

North series, the New York During the afternoon of the same Yankees have won the champlon-

Winners of the American League, dwellings was soon alight and the Yankees, although suffering the burning with the same flerce in-tensity as the other areas. The defeated the Cardinals by 4-1 in the heat was terrific and completely first game, and by 9-8 in the secprevented any attempt on the part ond. They won the third comof the brigades to get within fortably, and completed the triumph of four successive wins over the National League winners day.—Reuter's American Service.

UZCUDUN TO MEET ROBERTO ROBORTI.

New York, Oct. 9. the 100,000 firecrackers that had afforded to vessels complying with had been fortunate enough to sense Uzcudun, the Basque, is fighting the at night these will be illuminated been donated to create a din the Australian wages and living the impending danger from the on- Italian heavy, Roberto Roberti on conditions regulations, British rushing flames managed to gather Wednesday, Oct. 17th, at Ebbets

CHINA'S LEADERS TAKE OATH.

HISTORIC REPUBLICAN CEREMONY.

ON BIRTHDAY OF CHINA'S REVOLUTION.

CHIANG AS PRESIDENT

On the anniversary of the Renublic of China, the most appropriate day of the year, the ew leaders of the reorganised National Government took the oath of office, at Nanking at cight

o'clock this morning. The historic ceremony took place at the Central Kuomintang

The first to take the oath was Marshal Chlang Ksi-shek. the President of the National Govern-The dobris was piled high, and ment, the Chairman of the five

> A grand review of troops was afterwards held at the aerodrome. Marshal Chlang Khal-shek personally inspecting the forces in he presence of all the Nationalist.

Chiang's Official Title.

Announcing the arrangements in a message received earlier, Reuter says that Marshal Chiang Kal-shek, who will be officially intituled the "President of the Nationalist Government of the Republic of China," and the Chairman of the five Yuans, Gen. Tan Yen-kai, Mr. Hu Han-min Dr. Wang Chug-hul, Mr. Teal Yuan-pei and Mr. Tai Chi-tao, will formally take their oath o

office this morning.

Opposition to Chang Haueh-liang. It is understood that the Nearly three hundred represent members of the new State Council of the Central Executive Com-Mr. Bunji Suzuki, the well- mittee to the election of General Manchurian leader, as a State The meeting passed a resolution | Councillor, but eventually the

Shanghai Celebrations.

Shanghai, Oct. 9.

Over, 50,000 Shanghai Chinese

To-morrow, the Double Tenth, a big review of troops has been arranged, and in the evening lantern processions will be held.

Hankow Arrangements.

Hankow, Oct, 9. The Anniversary celebrations began this evening with Cantern processions simultaneously in all the Wuhan cities, all public bodies participating in the parades.

To-morrow morning, the date of the birth of the Chinese Republic. fitting ceremonies will be held and will be continued throughout the day winding up at night with another lantern procession. It is also proposed to hold a display of During the afternoon of the same day military maneeuvres will be held by the troops of the 4th Group Army and the Chinese authorities will be at Home to the foreign Consular officials and

Aeroplane Display.

Another, feature of the day's celebrations will be an aeroplane exhibition during which pamphlete will be distributed over the Wuhan cities explaining the purpose of the celebrations and giving the history of the Republic. All shops, residents, river vessels and dwellings will be expected to fly national flags and other bunting during the three days' celebrations. Many arches of a decorative nature are to be erected in The heavyweight fighter Paolino the busy sections of the city and with coloured electric lights.

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CORONER'S INQUIRY.

MOTOR CYCLIST EXONNERAT ED FROM BLAME.

Chinese girl, aged eight.

de B. Botelho, and died shortly | ward Roads. This was the only lot after admission to hospital.

Dr. G. H. Thomas, of the Government Civil Hospital, stated that on September 25 a Chinese girl was taken to the hospital at 8.05 p.m., She had a wound over -1167, situated in Ki Lung Street at the left eyebrow from which grey was unconscious and died at 9.20 p.m. the same day.

the doctor found that the skull was of \$4,000 in rateable improvements fractured over the left cyobrow, within 24 months and levelling as and the brain was decerated. The stomach was found to be ruptur- Works within 12 months.

he was an articled clerk to Mr. 167 Laichikok Road without opposi-Leo D'Almada e Castro, solicitor. tion. On September 25 he was riding his cycle along Queen's Road East in a westerly direction and was travelling at about fifteen miles per hour. When near the Grand Theatre, a Chinese girl ran out from the left side of the road. Witness at once de-clutched and applied the brakes, at the same time sounding the horn. The little girl turned round to look at witness and then, instead of con-tinuing on her way across the road she turned round and ran back towards the side walk from which she had issued.

but a bucket which she was carry- at the minimum, with one of \$150. ing at the end of a pole, across The tenth bid wiped out the old that the girl was also thrown,

getting up and running into the favour of Sir Robert Ho Tung and verandah, where a Chinese woman the Lee Wah Company at \$49,700, held her up. Witness asked the with 85 bids from the opening. girl to go to the police station, but the woman suggested that there was no need to do that, if the cyclist was willing to pay some

bars. He also saw a girl run into cost, on completion. the vernandah, as described by There were no bidders above the Mr. Botelhe. Witness informed the Coroner that the speed of the motor cycle must have been very slow at the time of the accident

Mother's Evidence.

The mother of the girl said that she and her daughter were' about to cross the road, to fetch water from a street fountain. Her daughter (the deceased) stepped out of the side channel and was knocked down by a motor cycle which did not sound its horn. Witness said that she did not wish to say any more about the matter crete decisions were reached in the but she thought she ought to be interview between Mr. T. V. Soong

compensated. Coroner): As far as compensa- on the 7th inst., Foreign Office tion goes, the driver of the cycle circles predict the early opening of is quite willing to give a fairly a basic talk preliminary to the ini-

good sum, as an act of grace. Evidence as to the condition of tions. the cycle was given by Sergeant Baker, who stated that the machine was an A. J. S. which was almost the enforcement of a graduated new. The brakes were in good tariff provided the Nationalists working order.

turned a verdict of "Accidental used properly, secondly to the ad-Death," adding that no blame at- justment of Japan's unsecured loans tached to the driver of the motor to China.

The Coroner, through his Inter- question will be kept separate from preter informed the mother of the the question of treaty revision, but unfortunate girl that the jury had observers consider that the settlefound that Mr. Botelho was not to ment of the former, will greatly blame, but that compensation facilitate the solution of other pendwould be paid,

PROPERTY SALES.

KEEN BIDDING FOR LARGE KOWLOON LOT.

The jury returned a verdict of Sales of Crown Land by auction "Accidental Death" in an inquiry, at the P.W.D. by Mr. F. Sutton atcordated yesterday by Major C. tracted a large number of prospective bidders yesterday, but it appeared after the commencement, The girl, according to an earlier that principal interest was center-report, was knocked down by a ed on a plot of land situated at the motor cycle driven by Mr. H. A. junction of Nathan and Prince Edthat went at a digure above the upset, and was knocked down to the Ho Tung interests.

The sale opened with the putting up of New Kowloon Inland Lot No. Shamshuipo, with an area of 952 matter was protruding. The girl square feet at an annual Crown Rental of \$6, for a term of 75 years from 1898. Conditions of sale At the post mortem examination, called for the expenditure of a sum approved by the Director of Public

No bid above the upset price was Mr. Botelho, giving evidence received and the lot was knocked from the witness box, stated that down to Mr. Mok Kwa-cheuk of

Second Offering.

The second offering was Kowloon Inland Lot No. 2143, situate at the junction of Nathan and Prince Edward Roads, having an area of 20,-550 square feet on an annual Crown Rental of \$236 and held for a term of 75 years from 1928, with the option of a renewal for a further similar period. Conditions of sale included the expenditure on rateable improvements to the value of \$60,000 within 24 months and the usual clause as to levelling within 12 months:

Bucket Entangled.

Opening at the upset price of \$46,237.50, bids of \$100 were acceptable and the price quickly rose per shoulder got involved with the dollars and cents and put the figure ycle's headlight. The cycle fell, up to \$47,200. Thereafter the bids throwing Mr. Botelho, who noticed were at the minimum and after a keen contest by two opposing in-Mr. Botelho next saw the girl terests, the sale was concluded in

Further Lots.

With the main sale completed, there were but few left to compete compensation.

It took two district watchmen and a Shantung constable to induce the girl's mother to allow the matter to be taken before the police, and after some while the parties arrived at the No. 2 Police Street, Shamshuipo. This lot had an area content of 5,814 square feet at an annual Crown Rental of \$40, with conditions of sale includ-Station. The girl was despatched ing a clause calling for the expenat once from the Police Station to diture of \$10,000 on rateable im-Mr. G. W. R. Griggs spoke of seeing the cycle drop. He said months, certain parts to be hand-there was a bucket over the handle-ed over to the Government free of

> upset price of \$8,720 and the lot was knocked down to Mr. Wong Iutong of 48 Bonham Strand without opposition.

JAPAN AND CHINA.

NEGOTIATIONS TO BEGIN SHORTLY.

Tokyo, Oct. 9. Inspector Alexander (to the panese Consul General at Shanghai, tiation of Sino-Japanese negotia-

It is generally believed that the Government is ready to agree to Without retiring, the jury re- revenue derived therefrom shall be

> It is understood that the tariff Ing problems.—Reuter.

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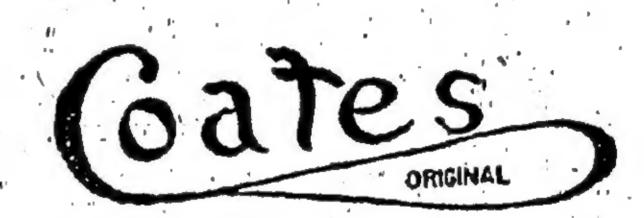
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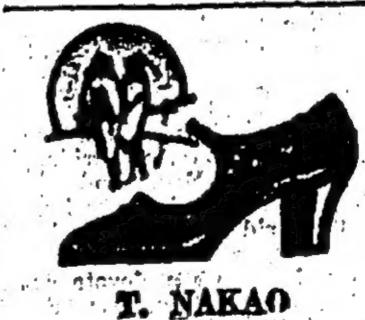
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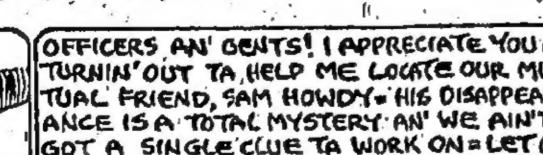
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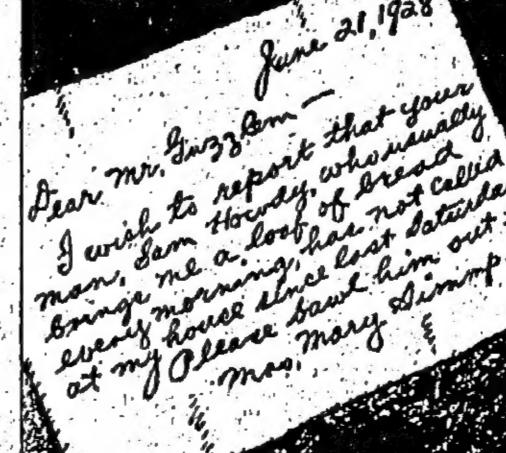
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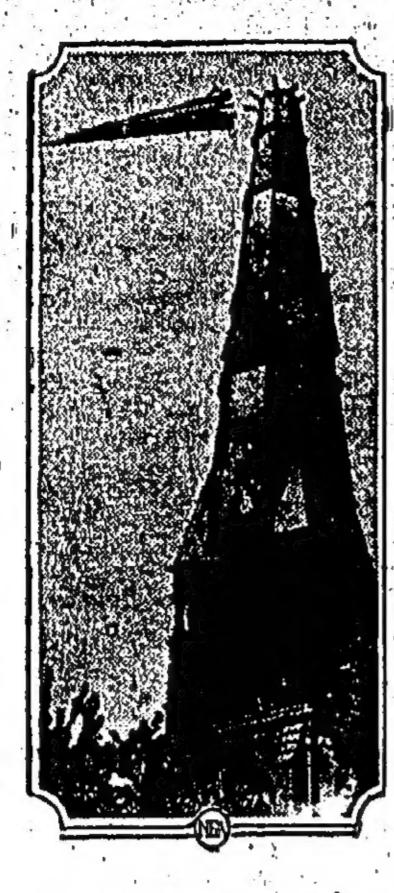
Before Miss Setsu Matsudaira recently became the bride of Prince Chichibu, heir apparent to the throne of Japan, she had to bid final farewell to her girl frierds, court etiquette torbidding further company with them. Miss Matsudaira, daughter of the former ambassador to the United States, is pictured above, in American costume, saying goodbye to some of her former friends in Tokyo.



Here are the principals in what probably will be the next Atlantic flight attempt. Above is the Breguet biplane in which M. Costes hopes to fly from Paris to New York. It is a duplicate of the machine in which he and Lebrix flew to South merica and toured the United Sates. This plane, however, bears an ominous question mark instead of the name "Nungesser Coli." Below are Costes, left, and his mechanic, Belonte, who may accompany him on the flight.



Mr. Arthur S Garbuett, musical critic and the editor for the U S. National Broadcasting Co. had never been up in a plane, but when apt. Royle, British airman offered to take him up for a drop to improve Garbett's hearing, the critic agreed as once. Photo shows the plane in its 8500foot nonedive from 11,500 feet to 3000 feet 'It was snapped 6000 feet up from another plane that dropped dizzily to get the picture, and almost cracked up near San Francisco. Inset is Garbett, who says the relief to his ears was only



A striking picture taken just as the top portion of a church stoople was crashing to the ground. The crash was not the result of an accident. When the repairs to the steeple began to grow costly members of the church decided to remove it. ..



A scone taking during the Shanghai performance of "The Lotter" by the american Players, who have been attracting big audiences.



A thrilling scone from "His Dog" a film recently released for exhibition in China.



Nobody knew that Jasoha Helfetz and Florence Vidor were married until they were leaving New York for California. Then they anplunced they had been married quietly after their recent return from Europe. Holfetz, generally regarded as the greatest technical master of the violin, is 27; his wife 33.

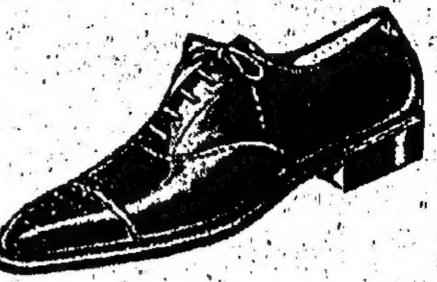


Above is the only dog in the world which has been on expeditions to both the North and South Poles. It is seen in the arms of the chief cook of Commander Byrd's ship "The City of New York" which has left for the Anarctic.



The rare phenomenon of the appearance of a white crow was witnessed by members of a party escorting Mr. William M. Jardine, of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, on a motorboat trip. The bird was shot down and it was found that the bird's head, bill and fact are white, and its eyes are pink. Jardine will have the specimen presented to a museum.

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Subscribers are notified that the Annual Meeting will be held on Tuesday, October 16th, at 5.30 p.m. in the Board Room, Mesers. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. All those interested in hunting, steeplechasing, or point-to-points are invited to attend.

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Mr. Thomas Andrew Barry has been appointed Acting Secretary of the above Company as from the 10th October, 1928.

By Order of the Board,

J. H. TAGGART, Chairman. Hongkong, 11th October, 1928.

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It is hereby notified that scaledthe Offices of the Public Works | tenders, in triplicate, which should be clearly marked "TENDER FOR Excellency the Governor of STORES" will be received at the Colonial Secretary's Office, Banque de L'Inde-Chine, until noon of

ber, 1928, for the supply and de-

ernment Departments during the

year 1929. For Specifications and Forms of Tender apply at the office of Superintendent Accounts and Stores, Public Works Department, from whom further particulars

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HAROLD T. CREASY, Director of Public Works. Hongkong, 5th October, 1928.

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M. MANUK. Secretary. Hongkong, 13th September, 1928.

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HANKOW'S RECENT DISASTER.

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many of their belongings and parry them to a place of safety, but thousands lost all their possessions. Those who were less fortunate rushed dither and thither, monning, wailing and generally crying out against the disaster that had overtaken them.

. Long streams of men and women, sweating features. Confusion was everywhere. The troops of the Wuhan Garrison Headquarters The TRANSFER BOOKS of the were called out to prevent any sisted by the police of the Wuhan Public Safety Bureau. crowds of the neighbouring populace jammed the roads and alleyways leading to the fire and scrambled for convenient yantage points. Many of these had relatives and friends residing in the burning areas and rushed in all directions in search of them, adding further to the scene of confusion.

Spreads Across Roads.

After completely devastating one block the fire spread across the roads in three directions and commenced its destructive work anew. From the moment when it secured a hold on the first block of huta there was no possibility of saving the other areas of similar buildings in the vicinity. It was merely a matter of conjecture whether the brigades would be able to prevent its spread into Consignees are hereby informed that the business district. This, however, was accomplished towards dawn which revealed a scene of desolation and waste almost in-

Ruin, complete ruin, lay everywhere, In two of the blocks where formerly had been colonies of straw huts and single-story brick dwellings, numbering hundreds, not a stick was standing. Nothing but a litter of crampled galvanised iron, broken brickwork and ashes met the eye. Temporary shelters were being erected on the border of the ruins and coolies, scavengers and some of the ruined families prodded with hoes among the ashes hoping to find some of their lost property.

Huge Damage.

Where once stood a famous tea shop of several storeys there now stand small portions of a brick wall. All that is left of several small factories is a mass of twisted machinery. Several huge iron electric wiring standards stand grotesquely conterted along the road-side, affent witnesses of the terrific heat which accompanied the conflagration.

The damage is difficult to cetimate but as most of the destroyed dwellings were of the cheaper be discharged into Holt's Wharf, Kow- from that viewpoint. It is estiloon, where it will lie at Consignee's | mated that over a thousand dwellings of all varieties were destroy ditions of storage at Holt's Wharf. ed. It is known that at least six The Cargo will be ready for delivery persons perished in the flames, one of whom was a Chinese policeman, many others austained serious injuries. Considering the size of the fire the loss of life was remarkably small.

Two Generals Accused.

Peking, Oct, 9.

.. During the recent fighting at Tangshan Pel Chung-hai captured Generals Heu Kun and Wang Tung of the Chihli-Shantung army. It after the 16th October, will be is reported from a reliable source subject to rent. that the National Government has ordered them south where they will be tried for complicity in the must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 80th October, or assassination of General Chen Chimai in Shanghai ten years ago. Chen Chi-mai was tutuh of the Shanghal area after the first revolution .- Router.

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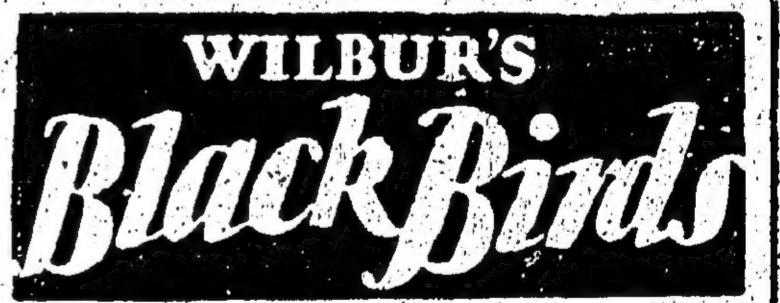
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In answer to those queries, live colours are not here yet-except for evening wear-neither are black stockings.

Pinkish grey is fashionable, also gun metal, which, when on, looks like a transparent black. It is a strange thing that with short skirts, hosiery has so far not launched any popular surprises other than clox and jewelled anklets; however, there is still time

Any and everything calculated to impart a touch of originality to a jumper is just now eagerly courted. Hence the approval accorded. the vogue of belts half-an-inch in width, or approximately that.

These may be of suede kid, or material, and incidental as they are, immediately catch the eye as

Another notable persuasion among the well-dressed in that of mingling kasha with Milanese for complete jumper suits, an idea that at once suggests short lengths, usually kept in one colour, A model seen affected two shades of kasha for the skirt, the hem being of a deeper tone, which reappeared in the narrow belt, front strapping of the collar, and pocket binds on the Milanese jumper.



A contdress like the one sketched here is a useful possession, since a variety of dainty blouses may be worn beneath the open-fronted bodice. The model is expressed in caramel colour marocain and the blouse in beige silk embroidered lightly in gold.



A dinner-gown in chestnu t brown chiffon and lace, having the latest skirt which dips low at the back, and the swathed bodice lifted slightly in front,

Bobbed Hair.

A CINEMA STAR'S OPINION

"We can be coerced into wearing transformations and switches when a production calls for long haired role, but very few of dress, its scalloped hem edged with

add a few more inches to her encircles the waist. pale gold bob.

wenying a delicate wave into the ment, is a popular trimming for upstar's brilliant hair. The wave was close to the head, the ends fascinating cardigan; too, made caught at the back of the cars. from rose-coloured lace, with a outlining the lovely contour of border of georgette the same shade.

Miss Ralston's head and neck.

Pyjama suits with "jumper" tops caught at the back of the cars,

"Light hair is far more lovely short than long," continued Miss Rulston. "The sun finds an opportunity to reflect glowing colour. in a crop of gold or red hair that is not set and pinned into dull-

Variety of Fashions.

"I can arrange my short halr in at least six different fashions.

the hat situation. The chie hat broidery. fits the head relentlessly snug. The lines of the head are followed doubtless ahead, dainty hand-made unfailingly and to have this line lace wool undergarments, in some broken by a bump of hair at the cases lined with chiffon, are availback of the neck would be a de- able. cidedly unfashionable thing. "Most women's lives have be-

adjust their hair.

"To the few that bewail the lack "I do not believe this talkedof dignity in bobbed hair, I would about return of long hair means a reply that dignity is it thing most thing. I have just returned from of us are trying to forget, and a trip to New York and found even the bob can be dignified if all my friends there and in the handled properly. What can be middle-west paying regular visits more regal than the sight of to the barber shops,"

New Lingerie Models.

SOME SPECIAL FEATURES.

The uneven hem is a feature of some of the newest lingeric models. A dainty shellpink georgette night us will ever play our real life narrow lace, has a circular dip at roles with a psycho pinned the back in the manner approved by securely on our heads." Thus did Esther Ralston an- Like the majority of nightdresses, swer an interviewer the other day it is sleeveless, and a girdle of when asked if she had decided to pink satin finished with a roselto

Coloured Ince or net to tone with During this discussion a hair- the georgette, silk or satin that is dresser with nimble fingers was used to fashion the rest of the garto-date lingerie. There is

> has a bright floral crepe de Chine jumper with an attractive jabot in front, the trousers being of plain washing satin. Silhouette-shaped Princess slips

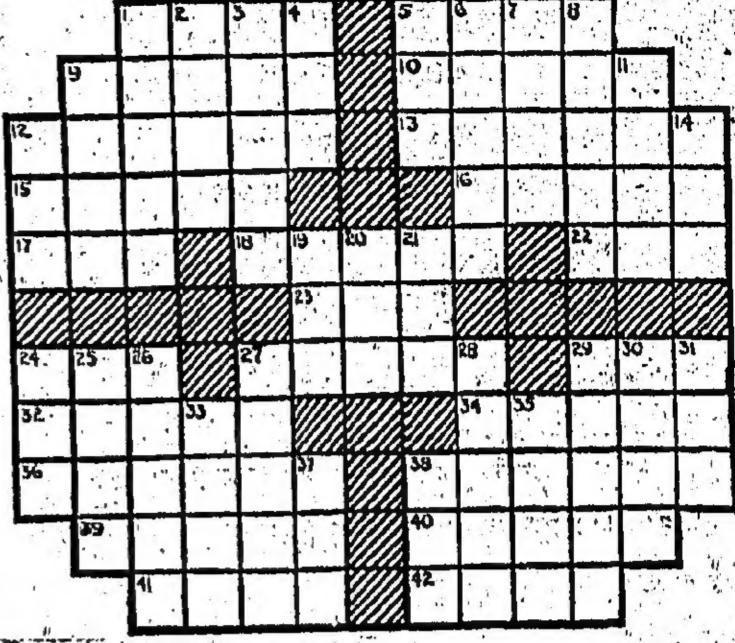
of washing satin are an inspiration, since there is no tiresome fulness to mar the fit of the frocks worn

For evening wear there are When it was long I was limited to the strongest argument against the return of long-hair should be with pearl, silver, or diamante em-For the chilly days that are

come far too complicated for them to go back to the 'hour-before-the-mirror' process every time they adjust their hair.

Florence Vidor, her smart clipped hair, softly waved close to her head, caught behind her ears, swept off her forehead?

OUR CROSSWORD PUZZLE.



Horsizontal

- 1 To wither as a plant: 5 A shark of the West Indian
- region.
 9 Large glandular organ. 10 To beguilo.
- 12 Woolly. 13 Spheres or cubes. " 15 Old-womanish.
- 6 Projecting ridge, Affirmative.
- 18 To remove by washing lightly. 22 Organ of sight. 23 By way of. 24 To damage.
- 27 Typical genus of moles. 29 One plus one. 32 Rounded convex molding.
- 84 Cruder. 36 To scold.
- 38 Tractable. 30 Competitor.
- 40 To improve. 41 Compartment of a prison. 42 Nude.

Vertical -

- 1 Conclusion. 2 Pertaining to grandparents. 3 To restrain. 4 Before.
- 5 Acriform fluid. 6 Substitute for sosp.
- 7 Either of two large bullrushes

growing in southwestern United

8 Apart. 9 Alloy. 11 Sharp. 12 To place or deposit. 19 Yellow buglo. 20 Nothing. 21 Fluid from a tree. 24 Crowd."

- 25 To assert. 26 Dowy. 27 Sum. 28 Fragrant smell. 29 To embrace.
- 30. To join metals by fusion. 31 Silver in rock. 33 To wash. 5 Maple tree. 7 Measure of cloth.

38 Any flat fish. Yesterday's Solution.

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FRESH START.

To-day is being regarded by the

Chinese as a particularly aus-

day. The occasion is likely

National Day, history has

alist Government, in which much

a centralised Government rest

tionalist control and to bring the

various leaders, together under

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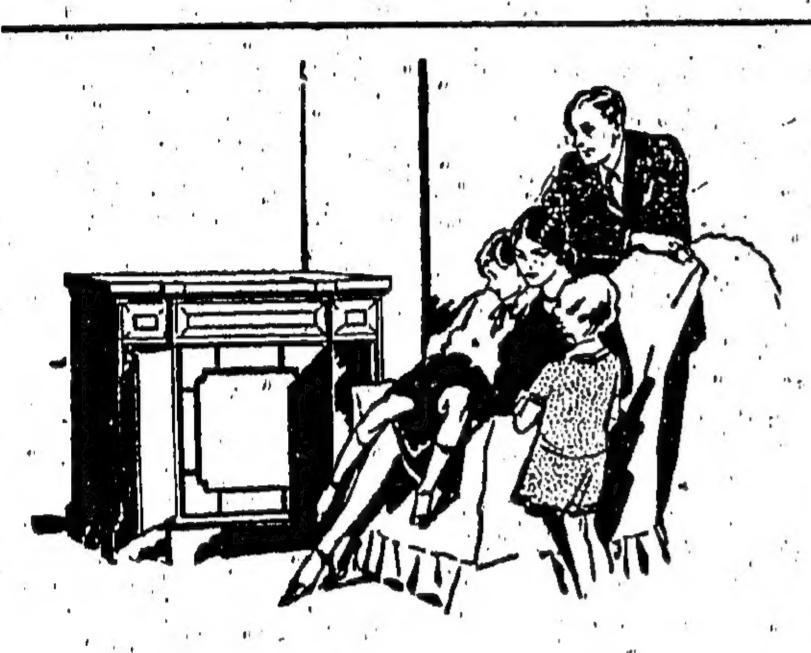
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order out of chaos, now have the satisfaction of knowing that they have served their country to some that on the very eve of the Nathe Nationalist Government has been accomplished. Yesterday's telegrams gave the details of the new administrative bodies, and a study of these warrants the belief that a workable scheme has matter at issue. been evolved. The personnel of the Government Council is also such as to inspire the hope that a policy of moderation will be followed both in internal and inaffairs. Marshal ternational Chiang Kai-shek, as the Chairman of the Council, becomes virtually President of China, a post which should satisfy his ambitions and make him feel that his services in the field have been very highly appraised by his fellow-Nationalists. We note with

fluence in the councils of the Government But perhaps the most striking appointment of all is that of General Chang Hauchliang, son of the late Marshal Chang Tso-lin, and now ruler of the Three Eastern Provinces. The fact that he has accepted office in the newly-created . Government Council must be taken as an earnest of his wish Manchuria should definitely join hands with the Nationalists and recognise Nationalist authority. This is a development of highest importance, and, coupled with the fact that Canton, Hankow and Peking leaders figure in the Council, it helps us Hongkong Telephone Co., Ltd. to visualise the extent to which Nanking's authority has spread. H. Beavis returned to the Colony China, this morning after a most enjoyowing allegiance to one Central able holiday in Indo-China. Government, at last looks like

coming true. But the reorganisation of Government, necessary and sential as it is, does not represent the completion of the Nationalists task. Rather does it mark beginning. The machinery government has been created; it day. now has to be put into motion. And it will be judged by what it accomplishes. We believe in the architect, of 368, The Peak, to Miss sincerity of the Nationalist lead- C. N. G. Guinness Oswald, of Tai ers in desiring to restore order to their country and in wishing to initiate the many needed reforms They have heavy tasks ahead, but in the work to which they are putting their hands they have the real sympathy of their foreign friends, who on this day of rejoicing join in the hope that surcess will attend their efforts.

Naval Limitation. The unhesitating condemnation picious date, for by a happy coin- of the Angle-French naval limitacidence the anniversary of the es- tion proposals by Washington tablishment of the Republic falls clearly the basis of the Italian Note on the same day as: the yearly on the same subject handed to the British and French Ambassadors Pak Tin, Shamshulpo was fined observance of Confucius' birthon Sunday. If anything, it is \$100 by Mr. W. Schofield at the given added point on that account, Kowloon Magistracy this morning. be marked by important declara- rather than the contrary. Italy is The defendant's wife was also at a trifle more restrained in her re- rested, but, on the bushand taking tions on the part of the Nationjection, at the same time leaving no the responsibility, she was disroom for doubt that the suggestions charged. will doubtless be said regarding outlined do not meet with apits future policies. Since the last proval. If any spark of life remained in the compromise, it may bour was imposed by Mr. W. Scho- to Hongkong on June 30. On renow be regarded as extinguished. field, at the Kowloon Magistracy turning he saw Tong Kwek-chey made in China, happily in the direction of the establishment of thors of the Agreement approached woman , who, yesterday, pleaded cular letter which had been sent ponsible for the governing of the through newspaper propaganda and defendant's husband refused to in teriorating." The circular letter by the two Governments concerned, ant. tremendous task to extend Na- the compromise was, further, vested with an air of diplomatic dexterity which created suspicion in every direction. Britain may prove up to one banner, but it can be said that the hilt how unfounded those suspicions are without improving, any appreciable extent, the feeling has been attained than would have abroad. The Italian Note contains seemed possible within the time. many interesting observations Rome follows Washington in expressing a desire for limitation of sels entering in ballast, Dutch reand if they have not yet all been tonnage rather than a reduction of overcome, the situation to-day is specific classes. Logically, the attitude cannot be attacked. The prospects of general agreement seem to . depend entirely upon a proposal of Mr. W. Schofield, at the Kowloon been for very many years. Those this nature, and British experts Magistracy this morning, oh 'a dom to build the classes most suit- stated that he had returned to able to each country's vital needs is see his mother who was ill, was is an easy and safe solution-pro- sentenced to eight months' hard It is especially satisfactory cellent gesture in this connexion, that she had sent a letter to her declaring her willingness to accept son. She added that her son reany figure, however low, if it is not turned in February last and had tional Day the reorganisation of exceeded by any Power in Contin- been mixing with bad characters. ental Europe, in other words, b France. The annotation to the effeet that disarmament should be taken on the broader basis to em- 400 PLANES IN FRENCH brace air, land and sea armaments is well reasoned, but scarcely comes, within the scope of the

EXCHANGE RATES.

lauch as to inspire the hope that	THE CHARLES WITH THE PARTY OF T
a policy of moderation will be	
followed both in internal and in-	London, Oct. 9. Paris
ternational affairs, Marshal	Paris
Chiang Kai-shek, as the Chair-	Geneva
man of the Council, becomes vir-	Oslo
tually President of China, a post	Helsingfors
which should satisfy his ambi-	Athens
tions and make him feel that his	Hongkong
services in the field have been	New York
	Amsterdam
very highly appraised by his	Stockholm
fellow-Nationalists. We note with	Madrid Bucharest 8024
much satisfaction the inclusion of	Bombay
so many Moderates in the new	Yokohama
Council, including Marshal Li	Yokohama
Chai-sum, whose record of sound	Copenhagon
and stable rule in Canton has won	Copenhagen Prague Lisbon 107%
him many golden opinions. Whe-	Rio
ther he returns to the South or	Shanghai
not, he may be depended upon to	Silver (spot)
exercise a wise and beneficial in-	British Wiroless.

DAY BY DAY.

THE MAN WHO IN THIS WORLD CAN keep the whitzness of his goul IS NOT LIKELY TO LOSE IT IN ANY OTHER.—Alexander Smith.

The P. and O. s.s. Moren, from Shanghal, is due here at 6 a.m. on

The P. and O. s.s. Jeypore, from Singapore, is due here at 6 p.m. on Monday next.

The Ben Line s.s. Benreoch, from Home, Straits and Philippines ports, is due here to-morrow.

Mr. T. A. Barry has been also appointed Acting Secretary of the Dr. J. H. Sanders and Mr. C. E

> Surgeon, Lieut. D. R. Campbell, M.D., has been appointed to H.M.S. Mantis, and Surgeon Lieut, P. B.

Jackson to H. M. S. Suffolk.

The R.M.S. Empress of Russia is due here on October 16th the (Tuesday). She will sail for of Manila at 10.00 p.m. on the same

> The forthcoming wedding is announced of Mr. R. O. Sutherland,

The s.s. Charles Hardouin was aken in hand at Taikoo yesterday for overhaul and refit after a long ay-up, preparatory to being again placed on the Kongmoon run.

A notice placed on the door of a Chinese shop in the business centre of Hongkong to-day stated: -"To-day we rest for the sake of Confucius congradulations."

A Japanese named Tajima, who has appeared at the Kowloon Magistracy on several previous occasions, was this morning fined \$7 by Mr. | Hamming and the morning fined \$7 by Mr. W. Schofield for being found drunk and incapable in Temple Street.

On a charge of being in possession of 350 debonators, a villager of board and lodging.

it is finally made clear that the au- this morning, on the young Chinese when he was asked to sign a cira vital international interest from guilty to a charge of larceny of \$79 to the whole of the staff. That a singularly selfish angle. Partly and a quantity of jewellery. The was when the business was "departly through the secrecy imposed any way compensate the complain- was to the effect that a new com-

> This morning's Harbour Office charged. reports gave a heavy list of arrivals and departures, 20 and 22 respectively, leaving 55 vessels in port, of which 15 were British. Tonnage was above the 56,000 ton mark, but freights were poor, the British registures being 2,410 inward and only 50 through. With three vesturned the day's high figures.

Appearing on remand before must seek a means to this end. A charge of returning from banishfixed aggregate tonnage with free- ment, a Chinese, who yesterday vided always the first factor can be labour. Sergeant Humphreys said agreed upon. Italy makes an ex- the mother denied to the police

AIR MANOEUVRES.

BRITISH EXPERTS SEE G.H.Q. BOMBED.

Paris, Sept. 14. in the first of the French man of them should plead guilty. ocuvres, which began this morning in the south-western region were accordingly discharged. of Paris, between Versailles and Chartres.

following the manoeuvres, drove ground floor, by her brother. She early this morning to the head- understood her brother wanted to quarters of the General in com- sell them. She pleaded that she

The first encounter they, wit- about the arms. nessed was a surprise attack on a only one group of the attacking beries. planes had successfully carried

out its mission. This was followed by an attack in which four enemy planes made woman. a daring onslaught at a low alti- The police next preferred a Japanese alien population is 12 tude on the headquarters of the charge of returning from banishgo tude on the headquarters of the charge of feather of the two ar- over last year. The number of General commanding the defend- ment against one of the two ar- American, citizens of Japanese ing army. One plane succeeded rested men, Pleading guilty, the in dropping bombs on the head- man was sentenced to twelve-

CLERK'S CLAIM FOR \$500 DEPOSIT.

AFFAIRS OF SOUTH CHINA IMPORT AND EXPORT CO.

A claim concerning a deposit of \$500 as employment security was heard in the Summary Court this morning, before Mr. Justice Jacks, when Taui Kung-cho, 57, Wellington Street, first, floor, sued the South China Import and Export Company and two partners, Chung Kam-ching and Tong Kwok-choy, 85, Queen's Road Central, first floor. The plaintiff claimed the sum of \$503.73, being \$500 principal due under a deposit note dated July 31, 1928, and \$3.78 interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum for 89 days. The money was alternatively claimed as money lent.

Mr. W. D. Owen was for the

The plaintiff stated, in evidence, that he was employed by the defendant firm as a clerk from April

About Hong Kong.

De you know that-

Hongkong has on several occasions had a Volunteer Fire Brigade?

One was formed in January, 1856, and in March of the same year a Chinese Brigade was also established.

The movement appears to have died, however, but in 1873 another Volunteer Brigade was formed under the auspices of the Hongkong Fire Insurance Companies, which also lapsed later.

During the Great War, Hongkong had another Voluntarily-raised Brigade.

19. 1928; 'until July 81, 1928, His salary was \$40 a month, in addition to which he received \$30 for

Plaintiff said that to "guard against any embezzlement that might do" he deposited the money with Tong Kwok-choy, in return for which he was given a receipt.

In pursuit of his duties, plaintiff went to Canton for the defen-Sentence of two month's hard In- dant firm on April 19 and returned pany was being formed and that all the employees were to be dis-

Plaintiff further said that his deposit was not returned to him and when he asked for it he was. told that the Company had no money to pay but he was promised repayment when funds were avail-

His Lordship gave judgment for the plaintiff with costs.

ARMS POSSESSION.

WOMAN SENT TO GAOL FOR 18 MONTHS.

appeared at the Cen-Magistracy this morning charged with possession of in her lodgings poured to in the two revolvers, one automatic pistol campet, threw butter on we floor,

the defendants, all denied it except much disturbance arms. She told the Magistrates minds to it, that the arms were left at her house

by her brother. Sub-Inspector M. Murphy inform. ed his Worship that he had instructions to withdraw the case against

Over 400 neroplanes took part the rest of the defendants, if one The remaining eight defendants The woman who admitted posses-

sion said the weapons were placed The British air chiefs, who are at her house, No. 48 Caine Road, was a woman and knew very little

cavalry detachment by three fact that the arms were not new and squadrons of bombing planes, that they were the sort of revolvers that they were the sort of revolvers which were used for armed rob-

months and twenty strokes.

The Very Joba!

A correspondent sends to a Home paper the following schoolboy. howlers, warranted genuine:

The climate of Europe is neither too hot nor too cold, but just nice. Another boy describes it as "sober, temperate, and mild."

The Protestant religion is divided into two parts, Whige and Tories. The Tories go to church and the Whigs to chapel.

Oliver Cromwell, surnamed Commonwealth, was the only son of a browery, but in time of war he was a braye and noble leader. He fought in the War of the Roses. Aurora Borealis is the Northern Lights. They burn the oil out of

Who introduced Christianity?-Martin Luther.

A syllable is that which can be pronounced with one sweep of the.

The probable cause of earthplaintiff and the defendants were quakes, may be attributed to bad drainage and neglect of sewage.

> Inspector Doole. Dodanduwa recently charged a Sinhalese boy, named David, with having attempted to alter the railway signal, opposite the Dodanduwa police station.

The Inspector said that the boy after nightfall made an attempt to tie the revolving wheel of the

signal with a piece of rope. The Magistrate enquired of the

lad why he did so. The accused:—I did it for the fun of it. I wanted to see the train halt in the open. (Laughter). The Magistrate said that it was

a serious offence, pundshable with a fine of Rs. 1,000, rigorous imprisonment and twenty-four lashes. The accused admitted the gravity of the offence which he said he

now realized. The Magistrate ordered the ccused to be given ten cuts with

Lloyd George, fulfilled with dollars and success, Throws up his task of writing

for the Press; Or has the Yankee Press, with rising gorge, At last decided to throw up

Lloyd George? "You certainly have prima facio. evidence," remarked Dr. J. S., Crone, Willesden magistrate, to a. man with two black eyes, who applied for an assault summons.

"While I was trying to struck: him, he stroked me with a stack," said a Mansfield defendant. Defendant at Mansfield (accused

f theft): I admit It, but I dony Man at Southend (summoned for leaving his motor-car outside

the police station): I thought it was a chapel. Woman at Bow: : Because I. am. man's wife have I got to do every-

thing he tells me? . "To dump a thing over a garden wall does not constitute acceptance."-Judge Turner, a

Westminster County Court, Drinkall was the name of a cellarman fined at Marlboroughstreet for being drunk and dis-

Isaac (who had just recovered. from a serious dliness)-"Doctor, you have charged me for four vecks' calls; I vill pay for only three vecks.

Doctor-But I called on you. every day for four weeks." Isaac-''Vell, dere vas von veek." I vas delirious, and I didn't see you

A girl at Brighton who disapproved of the breakfast rovided twenty-seven rounds of am- burned a tablecloth and curtains. munition. The case was jointly broke three vases, tore paper from heard by Mr. R. E. Lindsell and Ma- the wall and broke a table. She probably meant to show that the On the charge being read out to Food Reformers could make as one woman, who had a baby in her R.S.P.C.A. if they really set their

HAWAII POPULATION.

JAPANESE ALIENS SECOND TO FILIPINOS.

The population of the Territory of Hawaii is estimated at 348,767 persons, an increase of 15,847 over last year, according to statistics just released by the Territorial Board of Health.

Hilo's population is estimated at 12,850, a gain of 456 in the Mr. Lindsell commented on the Year, while Honolulu's population

alien Japanese have taken second Sentence of eighteen months' place in the territory. It is eshard labour was imposed on the timated that there are 51,870 Filipines in the islands. The placed at 51,348, a decrease of 616 ancestry is given as 88,252, which is an increase of 2574 over last year.—Christian Science Monitor.

St. Stephen's College Concert.

To celebrate the "Double Tenth"

festival, as well as the birthday

of Confucius, the students of St.

Stephen's College, last night en-

festivals were being celebrated.

The Rev. E. W. L. Martin ad-

dressing the gathering said that

'Nanking Celebrations.

Martial Law in Shanghai.

KEEPS SAME ENGINES.

celebrations .- Reuter.

Shanghai, Oct. 9.

BIRD DEALER FINED.

An interesting point, as to wheto the Chinese as Pun Kan Chenk, presentatives of twenty-two girls drinks water "neat" was decided schools marched in. this morning at the Central The programme consisted Magistracy, when Mr. A. H. Crook. songs, an address by Mrs. Tso Shi-Headmaster of Queen's College, fong and a pageant presenting the who has made a study of birds, history of the years of the particularly Eastern birds, gave public. This was conducted by ovidence in Mr. R. E. Lindsell's Miss Shin Tack-hing.

holder of the Central Market for mile side. keeping a cage of these birds and depriving them of water.

described in English as a dove or ment in the Hall. a pigeon. Defendant suggested that it was not necessary to give awater to the birds, as it was taken with their food, a sufficient proportion of water being mixed.

In evidence, Mr. Crook stated that he had made a study of birds, particularly birds of this part of Asin. He had seen the bird conhis opinion that the species requir- vited, the latter including Mr. A. nected with the case and it was ed water.

Quoting from a book by H: is a very thirsty bird."

found in the cage.

PING PONG TOURNEY.

EASY VICTORY FOR NEW CHAMPION.

Playing in the final of the Colony's Singles ping pong tourney shent. at the Chinese Catholic Society's premises last evening, Kwan Man- ly applauded. ching defeated Ng Tai-ping, last year's champian, in two straight sets, 3-2, 3-1,

sending' home many brilliant which promised to take up the beginning to-day on the occasion the post office on September 18 smushes with the ex-champion out whole day. It consisted of drills of position. Ng at times tried to and action songs contributed by force the game, but found most of the pupils, and speeches rendered his drives returned and had to be by friends of the School. content with playing on the defensive. Kwan exhibited all-round superiority and was greatly applauded.

The "Kom Tong" Challenge Cup thus goes to Kwan Man-ching, who fucius Society held a commemorais also champion of the South China, Athlelic Association this

RIFLE SHOOTING.

PORTUGUESE VOLUNTEERS HOLD COMPETITION.

The Rifle Club of the Portuguese | Sage. . Company of the H.K.V.D.C. held cutter's, in conjunction with Part 2.

competed for and the winner was Teacher. Lieut. S. Jarvis with a score of 97 points. Prizes for the second and third best scores, presented by the officers of the Company, were points, and Private F. Ribeiro, 94

gado, Cpl. C. A. Cunha, and L/Cpl. points.

TROOPING SEASON.

10TH HUSSAR'S POSTED TO

EGYPT. London, Oct. 9. under the command of Lieutenant-Colonel Greenwood, sail- pernicious doctrines of which ed from the Southampton to-day on were in direct contrast to Con-

Yesterday's return of notifiable diseases show two cases of typhold Government had announced its theria. The last-named was German, the others all being Chinese.

India.-British Wireless,

Amongst the passengers who arrived by the Taiyo Maru to-day evening, there is to be a concert were Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Allen, and dance in the Great Hall to Mrs. Greenhalgh, Mr. C.B. Brooke celebrate the day. and Mr. V.H.C. Jarrett.

DUAL FESTIVAL CELEBRATED.

- (Continued from Page 1.)

At ten o'clock in the forencen, the Young Women's Christain Association took up their programme of celebration for the girl students of the Colony in the hall cert given in the Kwek Siu Lnu of the Y. M. C. A. This was filled ther or not a type of bird, known to capacity when the official re-

During the day, the Y.M.C.A. The case was one in which the conduted a bicycle excursion Society for Prevention of Cruelty around the New Territories, thirty to Animals prosecuted a stall- riders setting out for the sixty-

In the evening a member's dinner given in the Gymnasium is to be The bird had been variously held, followed by an entertain-

Girls Celebrate.

At the Koshing Theatre, this ed with tumultuous applause, morning, the girls of the Yeung Chung School, a growing institution whose pupils number several fucius Day and quoted passaves reach an agreement on some perhundreds, staged a Chinese performance to which a large number ings to show the wisdom and Chinese postal affairs in conformity of parents and friends were in-E. Wood, Director of Education.

of applause being frequent. The concert opened with an ad-Whistler, who Mr. Crook described dress by the Headmistress, Mrs. as an authority on Eastern birds Cheung Yeuk-mui, who spoke on he read to the court the following the importance of the day, as recomment on the red turtle dove, gards, firstly the anniversary of by the former speakers. He want draws attention to alleged violawhich is the bird concerned in the Confucius, and, secondly, the ed to say in English what a very tions of the resolution adopted at case: "Water is very essential to Chinese National Day. After pay remarkable occasion they were the Washington Conference reit, as like other Chinese doves, it ing a tribute to the memory of celebrating, namely, the Birthday garding the maintenence of the the Sage, who enjoined love of of a great sage of China and also efficiency of the Chinese postal A fine of \$15 was imposed on country as one of the cardinal vir- the occasion of the founding of service, in connexion with the acdefendant, after Inspector Fowler tues, she referred to that great the Republic of China. It was a livity of postal employees against had given evidence to the effect event, 17 years ago, which saw the very remarkable thing that the the Japanese paper Shuntien Shih the a tin of dry grain and an establishment of a new Republic two dates should correspond this Pao. had hers, which this year was of China:

The speaker was enthusiastical- short interval.

After the audience had bowed three times on each occasion beching had the match well in hand, down to enjoy a programme, cluded in the three day programme various Chinese provinces sent to

Confucian Celebration.

To celebrate the anniversary of holiday garb .- Reuter. , the birthday of the Chinese Sage, members of the Hongkong Contive meeting this morning at the the Tai Ping Theatre, West Point, Over two thousand enthusiastic ad-

herents of Confucianism attended. The entrance to the theatre was beautifully decorated with flowers, which formed four big Chinese characters-"The Sage of Eternity." Inside, there were equally

The singing of the Chinese An- has been decided to let the pre- took five wickets for 32 and A. K. its annual competition at Stone- them, marked the beginning of the sent 911/2 cubic inches remain. meeting, which was immediately followed by the offering of sacri-The Lusitano Club Cup was fice at the altar of the Great

The offering ceremony was presided over by Mr. Li Yick-mui and Messrs. Au Lim-chuen, Chau Tung-sang, Lau Sing-cheong and won by L/Sergt. H. J. Silva, 95 Chan Siu-hing. The sacrifice was made before a picture of the Sage, placed in the centre of the stage. There was also a team competi- The ceremony took the form of tion, the winners being L/Sergt. the customary kow-tow and while H. J. Silva, L/Sergt, J. A. Del- the five members were performing the sacrifice, appropriate Chinese E. V. M. Souza with a total of 320 music was rendered. After this there, was singing by young Chinese girls.

Communism Denounced.

Before the conclusion of the meeting, several of the members of the Society delivered speeches on Confucinnism, these including Mr. Li Yick-mui, who declared that the teachings of Confucius The 10th Hussars, from Houns- had been endangered recently by the invasion of Communism, the the transport City of Marseilles fucianism. However, the life of for Egypt. They will relieve the the Communist movement had 15th Hussam, who are going on to proved to be short lived, and with the extermination of Communism there had been a distinct revival

of Confucianism. Mr. Li added that the Nationalist intention to uphold the teachings of Confucianism, which provided the only means of preventing the moral downfall of the Chinese.

At the Hongkong University this

PEKING POSTAL OUTRAGES.

DESTRUCTION OF JAPANESE NEWSPAPERS.

tertained their friends at a con-DIPLOMATS NOTIFIED.

Hall of the St. Stephen's Girls' Peking, Oct. 4. The hall was filled to its fullest capacity and even standing room was at a premium. Apparently it was not the programme that formed the chief attraction, but the copies of the Shuntien Jipao, a R Chinese newspaper under Japanese chief factor was the fact that two management, is contrary to the decision reached at the Washing-The concert opened with a short ion Conference in connexion, with speech in Chinese by Mr. S. K. the Chinese postal administration Young who asked the vast gather- which provides that China shall ing to rejoice with him over the maintain her effective postal adfact that the College found such ministration, Mr. Yoshizawa, the a big and distinguished support Japanese Minister, finding it necesfor their concert. Mr. Young sary to arouse the attention of the given to him. touched the matter of the Nation-Powers participating in the al festival and observed that every Washington Conference respecting Chinese present must be glad that the action referred to, addressed a at last, after years of endeavour- note yesterday to the Diplomatic he had no right to have taken the ing, China was united. Portions Body. In it, he enumerates out things. Describing the defendant's of Mr. Yeung's speech were mark- rages committed by the Peking post offices towards the newspaper Mr. C. Y. Ching also addressed and suggests that the Diplomatic former told the police on October he gathering in Chinese on Conthe gathering in Chinese on Congalore from the great sage's teachhe, effective administration on speech also proved extremely roho.

Instances Cited.

Peking Oct. 4. The Japanese Minister in a cirhe had only two words to say, after the very elequent addresses cular letter to the other Minister

dmpby tin were the only receptacles for China and the opening of an year. He wanted to join with the The letter gives instances of era of greater enlightenment, other speakers in reverence to the violations of the agreement as Just as France and the United great teacher of China and in bid follows: (1) On September 9 the defendant that he should not have States each had their National ding God's speed with all his heart postal union seized 700 copies of Day, so the Republic of China to the great Republic and people the Shuntien Shih Pao. at the knife. railway-station after they had been ushered in with greater signifi- An interesting programme was handed to an official for despatch cance than was usual, in that it then presented to the audience, (It is reported that these copies also marked the unification of songs, music, magic and short were subsequently burned); (2) China and the establishment of a plays being among, the numbers. On September 18 it was found more beneficial form of Govern- Mr. Harry Ore, a well-known that copies of the September 16 pianist, was amongst the enter- 17 and 18 issues, numbering 1,450 tainers. Ten was served during a each day, were seized by the postal workers' union while still in the post office; (3) on September 19 post office officials refused to re-Nanking, Oct. 9 ... ceive 720 copies for Tientsin; (4) Aerial manoeuvres, public lec- on September 20 it was found that From the very start Kwan Man- portrait of Confucius, they settled tures and military parades are in-all papers marked for Japan and

> of the "Double Tenth" celebrations, were seized. the populace is turning out in tries signatory to the treaty .- | chow, Ching Hoi, Kwong Chow. ..

On the LR.C. ground on Monday The Chinese authorities have the foreign staff of the Hongkong declared martial law from mid. Electric Company defeated the local night during the "Double Ten" staff by 17 runs. Taking first knock, the staff, consisting mainly of I.R.C. players, compiled 71 runs, of which A. S. Ismail contributed 32. No other player reached double figures. Banks bowled very well for the foreign staff, taking 6 wickets for 15 Six Hundred, U Un II, Black Pearl, runs, while Murdock took 4 for 30.

Minu two wickets for 2.



Bringing in the Business

"DIRTY TRICK" BY INFORMER.

POLICE ADMISSION IN POSSESSION CASE.

DEFENDANT SUFFERS.

"Our point of view is that, no doubt, the informer played a dirty trick on him," said Inspector Fallon, before Mr. W. Schofield at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, when prosecuting a Chinese on a charge of being in unlawful possession of a knife, wooden gags and a coil of wire.

The defendant said the articles mentioned in the charge had been

Inspector Fallon accepted the dofendant's plea; but pointed out that arrest, Inspector Fallon said an ining a moal at a certain ten house.

A party of detectives, including Inspector Fallon and Sergeant Moitram visited the place and in the cocklost they found the defendant alone. As the police entered, the defendant threw away a parcel. He was taken into custody; and when searched, the knife was found In the back of his girdle. He told the police that he had been given the things by three other men, whose names he gave the police.

One of these men was the informer, who had since disapeared. There was no doubt that these things were given to the defendant and the police then told to arrest him. The police were satisfield that the informer had played a dirty trick on the defendant.

His Worship pointed out to the taken the things, especially the

Sentence of aix weeks' hard la-

THE MACAO RACES.

HANDICAPS FOR EVENTS ON SUNDAY.

The following entries have been received for the tenth extra race meeting to be held at Macao on Sunday

The October Novices Race-Six Furlongs.

The city presents a very gay ap. A spokesman of the Japanese Diana, U Un II, Ullawater, Grey pearance. Pailans have been Legation states that he understands Eyes, Duke of Verona, Duke of Nieerected at cross roads, in front of that these cases of infringement of blung, Sutherland, Copper Mine, Wild all official buildings as well as the agreement are receiving serious Fellow, Misty Eve, Gala Eve, the large business houses, while attention also from the other coun- Tarmacadam, Tarzan, Casar, Wai-

The Macao Third Aggregate Stakes-

Aristophanes, Mowgli, One Third, Branco, My Lady, Westlake, Wuchang, Wild Fellow, Ma Kau Slac, Glory, Misty Eve, Gala Eve, Tarmacadam, Cmsar, Tarzan.

The October Consolation Plate-

Mowgli, Aristophanes, Blue World, The Zebra, Sunning, May, Wing Sin, Ing the familiar sayings of the Sage.

Although 1929 is the year auto-Murdock hitting up 45 before being mobile racing engines are schedul-dismissed, while Mr. "Extras"/contri- Zircon II, Copper Mine, Branco, My ed to change their displacement. Illimited as land to the state of Slac, Glory, Veloz, Nara Stag, Northern Stag, Misty Eve, Gala Eve, Shingle, Tarmacadam, Casar, Tarzan, Walchow, Ching Hoi, Spring Day, lilver Mine.

The Coimbra Handleap "A" Ciass-

Blue World (153), Branco (140) Chemal (163), Duke of Verona (160) Fifty Fifty (160), Ma Kau Siac (167), Misty Eve (163), Sunning (140), Wild Fellow (143), Wuchang (160).

The Colmbra Handleap "B" Class-

Six Furlonga. Aristophanes (163), Bright Prospect (149), Cosar (150), Gala Eve (158), Glory (157), Man of War (152), Mowgli (160), My Lady (166), Tar-macadam (157), The Zebra (150). Westlake (148), Zircon II (154) Erstwhile (150).

The Colmbra Handicap, "C" Class-Six Furlongs.

Black Penrl (150), Ching Hol (147), Copper Mine, (144), May (163), Meanwhile (168), Nara Stag (168), Northern Stag (147), Six Hundred (147), Sutherland (155), Tarzan (155), The Haugh (144), Ullawater (144), Voloz (144).

The Colmbra Handicap "D" Class— Six Furlongs.

Diana (158), Duke of Nieblung (155), Grey Eyes (160), Kwong Chow (150), Little Darling (140), Little River (140), Ploughman (145), Shingle (140), Slang River (160), Silver Mina (142), Spring Day (155), Wai Chow (140), Wing Sin (140),

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HOCKEY.

Hockey Club "A" Team at King's Park, at 5.15 p.m. chell, T. Seddon, V. M. Hast, J. D. Ashton. Reserves: A. R. Kinross deaths were also reported from Murphy, Reserves: W. Borrow- and J. D. Murphy.

man and A. McIntyre.

Park on Friday, at 5.15 p.m.-R. D. Harvey; E. R. Robin, A. C. enteric fever and one diphtharia. Thom Dormer; J. M. Purves, F. S. W. Jeffries; V. M. Hast, J. Gardner, All were Chinese. There were sute Smith; E. G. Sewell, W. H. Smith, T. Seddon; A. J. Ashby, F. Munn. A. R. Kinross; A. Tate; G. Mit. F. Allen, R. Mumray, and F. R. and one from diphtheria. Two E il Him

Twelve cases of infectious The following will represent the disease were reported to the Me-The following will represent Y.M.C.A. against H.K. University disease were reported to the Metho Y.M.C.A. against Hongkong 1st XI on Tuesday next, at King's dical Officer of Health last week. Six of these were small-pox, five four deaths, three from small-pox

CRICKET AVERAGES.

THE FINAL FIGURES AND PLACINGS.

While it is impossible owing to lack of space to give the full Cricket Averages for last season, the figures of all the leaders are given below, compiled up to the last match of the season;

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fearne fallows	46	2645	282	8	64.51
Russell Watson		2588	300°	744	61.50 61.03
Wooller, (F. E.) Hardings	46	2446	108	6	60.66
Bandham	43	2532 2220	2824	-	68.58 69.42
R. E. S. Wyatt	4.4	2408 1660	177 208	10	57.31 65.31
Dipper Leyland	49	2366 1783	166	4	54.08
Whysall	14	2573	166 184*	2	52.51 52.03
Mitchell (Yorkshire) C. A. Fiddian-Green	81	1820 866	118	5	50.76
A. M. Crawley	27	1816 527	167 222	0	48.74
L. G. Crawley	64	2825 1706	167 198	4	47.44
K. B. Dulcepeinhil	80	1804	162*	200	46.57
M. D. Lyon	.82	1180	120*	6	45.38
llowley Robinson H. M. Garland-Wells	20	926	188. 74	8 .	
H, M, Garland-Wells Shepherd	87 44	1270 1644	.128 145*	8	43.26
Ashdown N. V. H. Riches		\$247 608	178 .	2	43,21
P. G. T. Kingeley Croom	.19	809 1293	146	7	42,67
J. L. Bryan	.20	745	140	- 4	41.88
F. J. Scabrook R. H. Rettington	.89	1406 1078	180	4	40.17
A. W. Carr	,44	1630	161	5	89.02 88.80
Parsons E. T. Killick	,82	1281	170	. 1	88.12
Gregory Lee (Middlesex)	,46	1715	160	1	88.11
A. P. F. Chapman . P. G. H. Fender	.40	1870	177		87.19
Makepeace	,29	1861	167	4	86.61 86,48
Armstrong	.61 .46	1646	,156	6	85,78
Amee H. H. Lyon	.60	1910		1	85,62
V. W. O. Jupp Bell	.47	1642	118	20	84.03
E. W. Dawson	,62	1777		6	84.84
Batch (Glamorgan). H. W. P. Franklin	15,	1048	105	2	88 G:
Langeldire" (James)	49	1460	120	5	83.31 83.20
A. E. S. Hippon	.19	1401	1370	4	88,11
Barber (Yorkahire)	10	827	80		- 82.91
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Capt. T. O. Jame	- '	275	48		80.68
Timms (J. E.) Parks (H.)	.53		.101	4	80.45
Berry Barling	.49	1840	207	5	80.42
A. L. Houle Worthington	.46	1381	165	2 6	29.84
T. C. Longfield W. W. Timms	.15	804	120	6	29.79
Fox (Worcester			148*		
A. T. Barber	.16	1810 478	80	0	29.75
Woolley (Northania) Cornford	.48	598	.82	21	29.65
Sidwell Newman	.62	1158 1474	102*	2	29.48
Townsend E. R. T. Holmes	.14	382	84	11	29.44
G. R. Jackson	89	1167 1078	130* 100 .	4 2	29.17
Staples (A.)	13	958 259	94	4	29.08
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Lee (Derbyshire)	745.1	193	1764	-68	25.50	1
C. T. Ashton	162,1	2.8	511	20	25.65	ľ
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CRICKET NOTES

[By, "Two Legs."]

was heralded in with a crop of matches over the week-end, Hongkong C.C. going one than other clubs by taking advanplay a two-days' inter-club fixture with the view of selecting their two tenms for the League,

Only one League match was inpast year by H.M.S. Moth, went cluded in a somewhat heavy gramme, in which the Police R.C. engaged the University 2nd XIlast year's junior division champions. A peculiar feature of this game was the low scoring on both aides. The Varsity found Lacey and Alexander in splendid form with the ball, and, but for a patient stand by Suleiman, the visitors' total might well have been under a

half century. As it was, I fully expected the Police to manage the 60 runs needed for a win, but they did not reckon with the smart fielding of the Unhen; 3rd, E. R. A. Ward, H.M.S. dergraduates. The latter were not | Senmow; 4th, A. B. Jordan, H.M.S. a bit discouraged by their poor bat- Moth, and A. B. Partridge, H.M.S. ting display, and once they dismiss- Tarantula. ed Alexander, from whom much was expected, the 'Varsity had little difficulty in gaining a comparative-ly big margin of runs over their op-3rd, Lieutenant Ashby, H.M.S. ponents. Hiptoola played a blg part in the victory of his side as his slow, tricky bowling had the batsmen guessing most of the time and brought him five wickets for under two runs apiece.

talent was revealed in the H.K.C.C. Johnson, H.M.S. Cicala: 5th, A. B. match, but I hear that Ewin, Beard, H.M.S. Moth.

Stanion and Bonnar are fairly good all-rounders. Bowker had a merry Ratings.—1st, Wing, H.M.S. Moore the Star Theatre to night at 9.15 time of it at the wicket, but met hen; 2nd, Kum, H.M.S. Moorhen; with no success with the ball.

Speciators at the Kowloon C.C. Tum, H.M.S. Moth.

I was not surprised to see Good- H.M.S. Moth. win pile on 127 runs in his own 100 Yards Shameon Municipal of your orthodox type of batsman, 2nd, P. C. 33. wrong with the timing of his P. C. 2. 50 runs. ..

he plays out of his crease, but being Moth. exceptionaly quick on his feet he has seldom, if ever, fallen a victim fold Race .- 1st, Lieutenant-Com- C.M.G., whilst the individual to the stumper. I believe this was mander Poland and Miss Hogg; prizes for that event were given not the first occasion that "Ernie" 2nd. Lieutenant Cooper and Mrs. by Mr. J. F. Brenan, C.M.G., has made 100 runs.

Omar's century at Craigengower and Miss Reid. was a praiseworthy effort as he was up against the best bowlers of his own club. He batted with the utmost confidence from the start.

A list of the season's League fixowing to the delay on the part of 3rd, E. Sertche (Japanese gunone or two clubs in sending in their | bont "Uji.") programme to the Secretary. So far as can be ascertained, there will |Sales, be three matches on Saturday—all in the second division.

The Indian R. C. 2nd XI will be mead. playing on home ground against players have been practising assicording to present form should win Tuson. easily. Nothing is known of the Royal Engineers who will be visiting the Hongkong C.C. However, should the Sappers be able to retain the services of some of their more experienced players, I look

to them to carry away the points. The Navy 2nd and Police match should be fairly evenly contested. A victory for the Police will depend a great deal on Alexander and B.G. Baker coming off with the bat.

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INTER-SHIP ATHLETIC SPORTS IN SHAMEEN.

Shameen, Oct. 9. The annual sports meeting of the West River .. Patrol, held in Shamcon yesterday, was one of the most successful held here. weather was glorious and the fact that it was a Bank Holiday enabled everyone to be present.

All the ships of the patrol were in port except the three armed launches Nessus, Faulkinor, and Onslaught. The sports were held on the tennis courts and football ground and lasted all day. Ten was served on the bowling green.

In the evening there was a concert, followed by a competition searchlight display. presented by the Parsee . Com-

The Results.

to H.M.S. Scamew.

The following were the events members will attend. and results: One Mile Naval Race.—1st, A. B. Taylor, H.M.S. Tarantula: 2nd, A. B. Leeson, H.M.S. Seamew; 3rd, A. B. Berwick, H.M.S. Cicala; 4th, A. B. Challis, H.M.S. Moorhen;

5th; A. B. Bishop, H.M.S. Cicala.

3rd, Lieutenant Ashby, H.M.S. Tarantula; 4th, A. B. Johnson, H.M.S. Cicala: 5th, Petty Officer Holland, H.M.S. Tarantula.

220 Yards, Naval,-1st, A. B. Chapman, H.M.S. Seamew; 2nd, Stoker Thompson, H.M.S. Moorhen; 3rd, Petty Officer Holland, NEGRO VAUDEVILLE TROUPE. Very little in the way of new H.M.S. Tarantula; 4th, A. B

which produced close on 600 runs Tarantula; 3rd, A. B. Berwick, shows the complete mastery of bat H.M.S. Cicala; 4th, A. B. Leeson, over ball.

H.M.S. Seamew; 5th, Stoker Gold,

forceful style. True, he is not one Police, Chinese,-1st, P. C. 15;

pair of eyes, and there is nothing Police, Indians .- 1st, P. C. 3; 2nd,

strokes, so that given 20 minutes at 100 Yards, . Nayal.—1st Petty the wicket he might ensity knock up Officer Goodman, H.M.S. Seamew; E. F. Fincher who made 102 Moorhen; 3rd, Lieutenant Gar-(retired) is fast becoming one of rick, H.M.S. Cicala; 4th, Lieutenthe most dependable bats of the ant Ashby, H.M.S. Tarantula; 5th, K. C. C. Like his brother "E. C." Lieutenant Lovegrove, H.M.S.

Rackohoff; 3rd, Lieutenant Ashby H.B.M. Consul-General,

1/4 Mile, Naval.-1st, A. B. Tay- H.M.S. Tarantula. Lieutenant Cooper, H.M.S. Cicala; ball ground. 4th, A. B. Jordan, H.M.S. Moth. 220 Yards Open,-lst, F. E. W. ures has not yet been compiled, Lammert; 2nd, R. T. O. Lammert;

Children's Race.—1st, Master

100 Yards Open,-1st, A. Pritchard; 2nd, Samson; 3rd, Ash-

Moth; 5th, H.M.S. Moorhen.

emant Ashby and Licutenant Love- rigged sampan, Mrs. Pearson, Mrs. grove; 2nd, A. B. Berwick, A. B. Batchelor, Mrs. Clements, Mr. J. F. Bishop and A. B. Maybourn.

meen; 3rd, H.M.S. Seamew.

1st. H.M.S. Scamew; 2nd; H.M.S. play, Lieutenant Ashby. Tarantula; 3rd, H.M.S. Moth; 4th. H.M.S. Moorhen; 5th. H.M.S. Cleala,

Alderman, H.M.S. Scamow; 2nd, A. B. Borwick, H.M.S. Cicala; 3rd, A. B. Maybourne, H.M.S. Cicala; 4th, Petty Officer Holland, H.M.S. H.M.S. Moth.

3rd, The Army.

Seamew, 55 points; H.M.S. Taran- motorcar by H.M.S. Seamew. tula, 411/2; H.M.S. Clcala, 83; H.M.S. Moorhen, 25; H.M.S. Moth, everyone concluded with an excel-

Wensley, 1112.2 200 2820 92 10.45 Representatives Relay Race was dent.

PRESENTATION TO MR. B. PASCO.

TOKEN OF ESTEEM FROM THE KOWLOON F. C.

A happy ceremony is to take place at the Kowloon Football Club on Friday evening, when a presentation is to be made to Mr. Boris Pasco in recognition of his valuable services to the club over

f period of many years. After several- years with the first eleven, Mr. Pasco latterly made excellent use of his experience in imparting stability to the second eleven. Towards the end. of last season, however, he had tage of the holiday on Monday to for fancy rigged sampans and a the misfortune to break his leg, thus bringing an end to a long The Aggregate Challenge Cup, career of football. Friday's presentation is in the nature of a munity in 1926 and held for the parting gift, though Mr. Pasco is not severing his acquaintance

with the club. The presentation will take place at 6 p.m. and it is hoped that many

LEAGUE FOOTBALL.

RECREIO v. KOWLOON F.C.

The following will represent Club de Recreio in their Senior Division League match against the Kowloon Football Club on Recreio's Ground, King's Park, at 5.10 p.m. to-day:-R. Marques; P. M. Xavier, S. Sousa; C. F. Remedios, A. A. dos Remedios; B. Assumpção, B. Gosano, J. M. da Silva, A. Gosano (Capt.), L. A. da Rocha, and A. J. Brown:

"THE BLACK BIRDS."

p.m. according to a special an-13rd, Ah Hat, H.M.S. Cicala; 4th, | nouncement in this Issue. 'A new Tai Yen, H.M.S. Seamew; 5th Ah and novel form of entertainment is promised with the appearance: on Monday were treated to some | Half Mile, Naval.-1st, A. B. of the troupe which is made up of exceptionally bright cricket. Two Taylor, H.M.S. Tarantula; 2nd, eighteen negro artists, all well individual centuries in a match Lieutenant Alexander, H.M.S. known on the American music hall stage. During its stay in Hongkong, the company will present a varied programme of vaudeville, revue, eccentric dancing and must cal items including the old plantation melodies famous the world but he possesses a wonderfully keen 100 Yards Shameen Municipal over for their sweetness of tone items, without which a first class variety show would be incomplete, are also included. Seats may be 2nd, Stoker Thompson, H.M.S. booked in advance for the Dress' Circle and Orchestra Stalls at Moutries and the Star at the popular prices of \$3, \$2 and \$1.

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Blind- given by Commodore Pearson

The tug-of-war was won by

lor, H.M.S. Tarantula; 2nd A. B. After the sports, Mrs. Pearson Morris, H.M.S. Scamew; 3rd, presented the prizes on the foot-

The Officials.

The following acted as officials: Judges, Messrs. A. A. L. Tuson, C. E. Watson, G. H. Bowker, A. Hoffmeister, T. M. Knott, Dr. W. G. Roynolds Lieutenant-Commander Bostock; Starters, Captain G. Act Clements, Lieutenant-Commander Veterans' Race (Handicap one R. M. Hunt, Lieutenant Lovegrove, the Electric R.C. The Sookumpoo yard for every year over 35) .- E. R. A. Cole, Petty-Officer Pan-1st, M. S. Kavarana; 2nd, Petty tling; Time-keepers, Mr. H. F. duously for some weeks and ac- Officer Darroch; 3rd, A. A. L. Campbell, Surgeon - Lieutenant Currie, Surgeon-Lieutenant Ma-Relay Race, Naval.—1st, H.M.S. guire, Chief Potty-Officer Edin-Seamew 2nd, H.M.S. Cicala; 3rd, burgh, Chief Petty-Officer Devon-H.M.S. Tarantula; 4th, H.M.S. port; Recorders, Mr. A. J. Evans, and Lieutenant-Commander, Po-Four-Legged Race .- 1st, Lieut- land; Referee, Captain G. A. enant Commander Poland, Lieut- Clements; judges for the fancy Brenan, Lieutenant Commander Bont Race .- (crew of five on an R. M. Hunt; Clerk of the Course oar running backwards with coxs- for the Tug-of-war, Lieutenant wain facing forward last) .- 1st, Gordon; Clerks of the Course for Japanese gunboat "Uji;" 2nd, Sha- | the Fancy Rigged Sampans, Lieutenant Ashby and Lieutenant Coo-Relay Race, Representatives .- | perfin charge of searchlight dis-

The Concert.

In the evening there was a very Obstacle race, Naval.-1st. A. B. successful concert in the Canton Club Theatre, after which everyone adjourned to the Bund to witness the fancy rigged sampan display. The first prize was awarded Tarantula; 5th. A. B. Hutchinson, to H.M.S. Tarantula, whose sampan was very well decorated as an Open Relay Race 1st Sha- old Viking ship complete with meen: 2nd, U.S.S. Sacremento: Norsemen, sails, shields and oars. Other entries were a Chinese Junk Eleven events counted towards by H.M.S. Cicala, "The Maythe Aggregate Challenge Cup. flower," by H.M.S. Moth; a Flower The aggregate results were H.M.S. Boat by H.M.S. Moorhen; and a An extremely enjoyable day for

lent searchlight display from the The Challenge Cup for the Extra five ships -- Our Own Cor espon-

By Mrs. VICTOR RICKARD, Author of " The Light above the Crossroads"; "The House of Courage; " " A Reckless l'uritan, " etq.

SYNOPSIS.

down with MRS. PRIESTLY, his mother, and ADA, his sister, meets in London

when he lands

ORANGE LAVINGE, who appears to be in great trouble. She will not disclose the trouble, but the best of it. Orange later con- gave way to her tears. cesses she married Walter because she had been jilted by an-

CHAPTER VI.

But though you persuaded him, it is useless for you to attempt to small vanity concerned in your ad- Induce Orange to capitulate. There was perhaps who wanted.

to nothing. We all like to feel that | ders.". we have been appreciated. No need not go into that, for it hard, she appeared. ly matters. Walter, naturally, believes that all menency him. It is normal for bridegrooms to cherish these ideas."

A strong sence of outrage rose in the mind of Orange and she sat still and made no attempt to reply.

my power to, reas- in the glass. sure him, and instead of letting him the result of my interview with very French."

walked restlessly to the window. Ada, the best dressed woman in the "I told him the truth," she said room is the woman whom no one stubbornly. "I do not love him, notices. That touch of scarlet is and though I think it inexcusable | too loud." of you to have forced him to betray my confidence to you, Mrs. Priestly, haltingly, and before she could say can I see these friends of yours Haverleigh and Mrs. Haverleigh"

The placid expression of Mrs. marked, judicially. "Walter has little pebbles. Gradually the room given me a considerable dose of filled up. heroics already, and I was Mrs. Priestly received the guests not force your inclinations, and will "Surprise parties are fashionable," in the tea-cup is at its height." the drawing-room. She got up majestically. "My friends will, no doubt, be disapmay be reasons why it is no well again and again. that they should not."

"It is not always necessary to give one's reason" Mrs. Priestly said, calmly. "Possibly they might not accord very well with your own were Walter's choice, my dear, not suavely.

There was a short silence between | daughter" them, and Orange came slowly forward into the centre of the room. She knew that herhands were trem- laughed archly, "and I have not yet bling and she could not be alto- had very much time to fall in love." gether sure of her voice. Never in all her life had the felt so angryor so small. Through her horrible punctual," Mrs. Haverleigh said, power, Mrs. Priestly had reduced her and cheapened her in her own eyes.

When Walter's mother had come into the room she had prepared herself to be pleaded with, or possibly arrived with a wife," he said in his hod was entirely new to her. She up a subscription for the furniture had waved her aside as though she of their bungalow. It was only for him as an outrage to her son, she sailed." she pushed it away as a vain, boastful statement, made by a conceited her faintly marked eyebrows. could she countersuch an attack?

She saw Mrs. Priestly move in her slow, steady way towards the Priestly's family?" Mrs. Kent, the door, quite unruffled, quite unmoved, wife of a prosperous stockbroker, As she was leaving the room, asked genially. "I always say that Orange spoke quickly:

"I will come down and meet your half the battle." guests," she said breathlessly. won't be treated like a silly child. Will you tell Walter that I shall do this? But tell him, too," she went on, "that if in future he wants me to do anything, I should prefer his on the threshold. asking me himself."

It wasn't what she had wanted to say and it sounded forced and WALTER PRIESTLY, an engineer, rather ridiculous, but her eyes were returned from England to settle full of angry tears and, in spite of herself, her voice shook.

"Shall I tell him to come to you?"

"Certainly not." Orange closed the door behind her mother-in-law Mrs. Priestly is with a bang and turned the key in shocked when he comes home the lock; and then; going to her with a wife, but decides to make | bed, she flung herself upon it and

Walter, his mother, and 'Ada dined rather silently together. The number of her guests.

persuade me," Mrs. Priestly spoke his wife had a reed to come down- becoming adults they find they still slowly. "I shall not listen to stairs and be introduced, she said love each other while similar feelyou, Orange. You wrote that letter nothing of the interview. Walter, ings are manifested between Kitty in a silly, girlish mood of im- though much relieved in mind to and the Duke. Both the latter which comes to the World Theatre Kobe patience with life. There may be, know this, was far from easy as to for I know you very little, some the means his mother had used to former are rich, and Kitty, who from to-day to Saturday is a spec- London Manila

for a time, to Priestly had said. "Very much he does not realise what is hapmarry you, but the affair came over-strung. But time works won- pening.

doubt, as you are a pretty creature, said nothing. She was delighted by Kitty, realising her selfishness, men have made themselves polite, with her new dress, in which she takes poison to enable Ted and noteworthy productions, is the but that does not invariably mean really looked well, and full of Jean to find their true happiness here of this blg picture and apthat they want a wife. I under- curiosity to see what sort of imstand your disappointment, and we pression Orange would make when

When dinner had dragged through, Mrs. Priestly went into the partly dismantled drawingroom and sat down in a chair of state. She had put on a jetembroidered dress, and a fresh crisp cap sat on the top of her head, "Sip a little water," Mrs. Priest- Walter, who had been left with suggested. "You look pale. permission to smoke one cigarette There! That is belter. Naturally, in the dining room, had remained Walter feels that he is in a hopeless | behind, pacing about anxiously, and just as you intended Ada, stood on the fender-stone to should. I did what see as much as she could of herself

"Blue is my colour," she said, go off to his club he agreed to await | "and I call that touch of scarlet

"And not in the best taste," Mrs. Orange sprang to her feet and Priestly shook her head. "My dear

"All the same—" Ada began I have no intention whatever of anything further, Dorne, the butler, going back on what I said. How appounced "The Rev. Canon and protend to be what I am not?" in a loud, splendid voice.

Close upon the Vicar and his Priestly's face did not change. She wife, Dr. and Mrs. Hopkins arrived, smoothed out a little crease in her the three Miss Grants, the Pemberskirt and sighed gently. "I am no sons, with Colonel. Pemberson, a great believer in heroica," she re- tall, sun-baked man, with eyes like

fully prepared to hear you do with cordinlity, and to each one she the same. He feels that he must explained the motive of the party. not ask you to do anything what- she said, and she introduced. ever. In fact, Orange, the storm | Walter, who appeared dutifully in

"Walter, my dear, where is that pointed not to meet you, but there pretty wife of yours?" she asked,

"But how very sudden it all is," Orange turned swiftly and stared Miss Alice Grant remarked, with an at her. "What reasons?" she ask- oblique glance at her hostess. "How unconventional. A year used to be considered a short engagement in my time."

"We live in an unconventional views of, shall I say, yourself? You | age, dear Alice," Mrs. Priestly said

"And you like your new

"Walter likes her," Mrs. Priestly

"She does not appear to be very primly. She was seated on a sofa beside Colonel Pemberson, who had begun to talk of weddings he had attended in India.

"At Lallipore one of our fellows threatened, but Mrs. Priestly's met- thin, dry voice, "and we had to put did not count, and, far from taking afterwards that he discovered she the story of Stayeling and her love had been married already before

> "Really?" Mrs. Haverleigh raised "That was awkward."

> "And do you know Mrs. Walter if a girl comes from a nice home it's

> "Here is the heroine of the

Mrs. Priestly turned to the door where Orango stood for a second

(To Be Continued.)

QUEEN'S THEATRE.

"CHILDREN OF DIVORCE" A HUMAN STORY.

The feature film which is being shown at the Queen's Theatre for the last time to-day is "Children of Divorce," a picture containing many emotional aspects of an extremely human character. Two love affairs which provide the are prevented from materialising through the selfish action of a "Child of Divorce," who thinks that happiness cannot be gained without money. The price she pays for learning that Mrs. Priestly spoke from the door. love is greater than money makes "It might be better for you to ex- a pathetic ending to a dramati

> Clara Bow (Kitty Flanders) and Esther Raiston (Jean Waddington) the heroines, the opposit roles being taken by Gary Cooper (Ted Larrabee) and Norman Trevor (Duke de Gondreville).

A convent for "children hired butler had come and was busy divorce" makes the starting point with preparations for the reception for the picture, and it is there later on in the evening, for Mrs. that the two girls and Ted Larra-Priestly had added to the original bee make each other's acquaintance, when Ted and Jenn enter into a childish pact to marry each Beyond informing her son that other when they grow up. After are poor, however, while the "She is a mass of nerves," Mrs. Ted after a tirunken party when screen from the famous novel by business transacted. Loss granted on a

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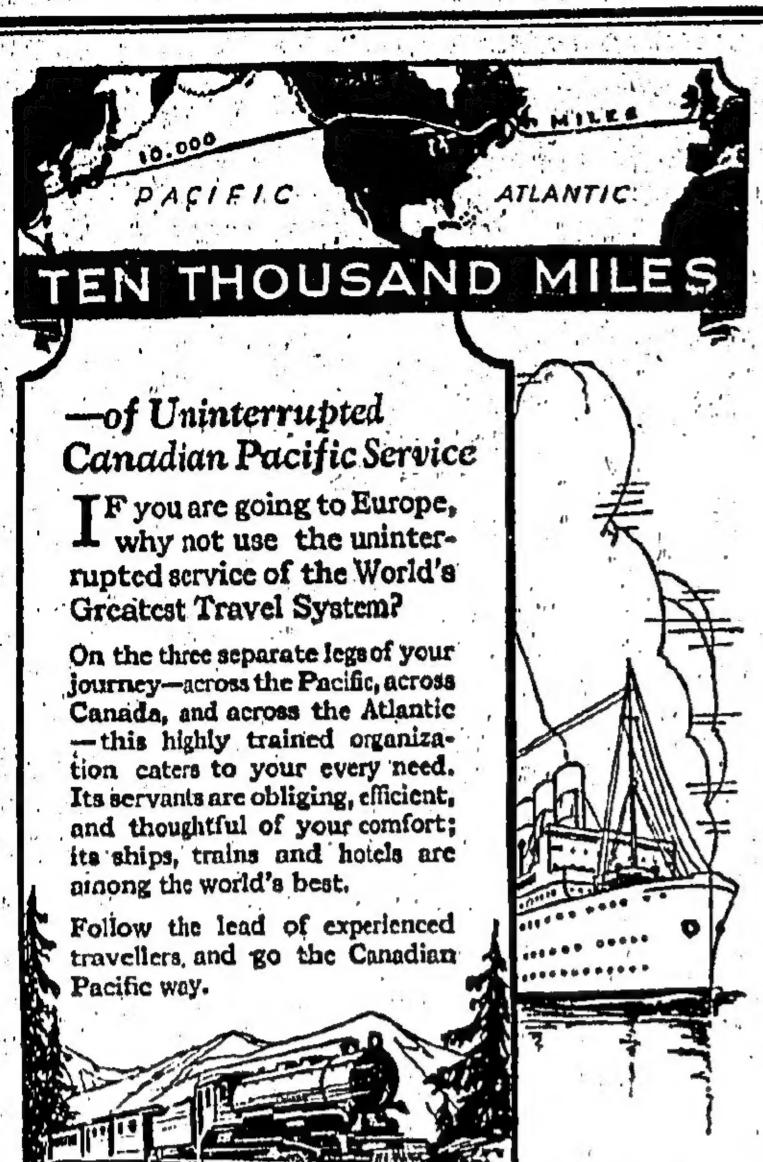
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water to each mess. It is anticipated that the . vessel will be employed in the Far East, and arrangements have been made for the crew to mess and sleep in the open awnings. The armament will con- evidence of the success of sist of 4in, guns and machine guns. Dunstan's methods. With The machinery consists of twin-screw pressure of 225lb, per sq. in. The boilers consist of two watertube boilers of the three-drum type, arranged for oil fuel burning; the steam pressure at the bollers is 250lb, per hold conditions.

KOCHOW PIRATES.

MEET DEATH AT HANDS OF TROOPS.

Prompt and commendable action on in Thi Ping Sha, Namhoi district, re- services in connexion with the sulted in a gang of pirates being men's productve work." cither killed or captured. There is strong reasons accounted for believing, says, the Canton Gazette, that the pirates accounted for in this action formed part of the gung that looted administrative hendquarters for

Hongkong-Wuchow run. a potorious pirate chief would be quarters, Inner Circle, Regent's October, 1928, or they wil not be remaking his return to his native village Park; the technical headquarters, cognized. with a small gang of his satellites, stores, and sales office are, in a This man had been attacked by troops only recently and it was purely luck property on a site near headthat enabled him to escape from being quarters; and the principal es-Regiment of the 12th Division, station- of blinded soldiers is St. Duned at Tai Ping Sha, made plans to stan's, Brighton. Substantial ecointercept the pirates, and according nomies are expected to result ly a portion of his troops were sent from the reorganization, and the to seek the band and offer a hot recention. Guided by the local Precau-Guards. pirates making sued for several hours, in the course we shall next year begin the proof which over ten pirates were killed, cess of building up our endowthe extreme penalty for their sins. A quantity of books were seized in which were recorded the names of various captives, while several black-mail letters, and an ivory seal were found on one of the dead bodies. These served to identify the body as that of the chief of the gang. A rapid fire magazine rifle and several pistols were recovered from the killed. On the side of the law four soldiers were wounded, while one was killed.

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The "family of St. Dunstan's" There is a good flare forward which now numbers over 1,900 officers, obtained. n.c.o's, and men blinded in the sea in rough weather. The crew's war and 4,000 wived and children settled in their own homes almost every part of the Empire. The report pays tribute to the courage and adaptability of those who have lost their sight, and air under the shelter of the forecastle points out that a deficit of nearly and boat deck, which has been pro- £5,500 during the year ended tected against the sun by double March 31 last is really direct turbing engines with a collective creased experience the blinded sinft horse-power of 2,000. The craftsmen have added appreciably turbines are of the Parsons impulse to their productivity and earning re-action type driven through single power, and the result has been led by reduction genring, with a working a necessary increase in the direct subsidy payable to their trades. The men have, in fact, "increased their turnover, " their use of subsidizationaw material, sq. in., working under closed stoke- and the volume of finished articles which St. Dunstan's has to help them to sell by no less a sum than £14,000." Indian competition in the mat industry and foreign competition in basket-making and joinery make the problem a difficult one, but supporters of the institution are assured that "St. Dunstan's will make strenuous the part of the garrison commander efforts to maintain unimpaired its

During the year under review the steamer Kochow plying on the all the Imperial and national work immediately after landing. and the local centre for London Information had been received that men are now St. Dunstan's headcouncil say: "If our income is mainfinined, if we can solve the difficulty of selling our men's goods, and unless any unforeseen en- and unavoidable liability arises, Only four men were left alive, and ment fund." The council aim at these were subsequently made to pay setting naide a sinking fund which will endow St. Dunstan's at the end of 15 years.

MEXICAN QUAKE.

HALF OF OAXACA TOWN REPORTED RUINED.

Mexico City, Oct. 9. An earthquake shock caused the deputies to hurry out of the Chamber, which suspended its sitting. The shocks were felt in nine states, The damage done is heavy, particularly in the town of Caxaca, the southern section of which is ruined .- Reuter's American Service.

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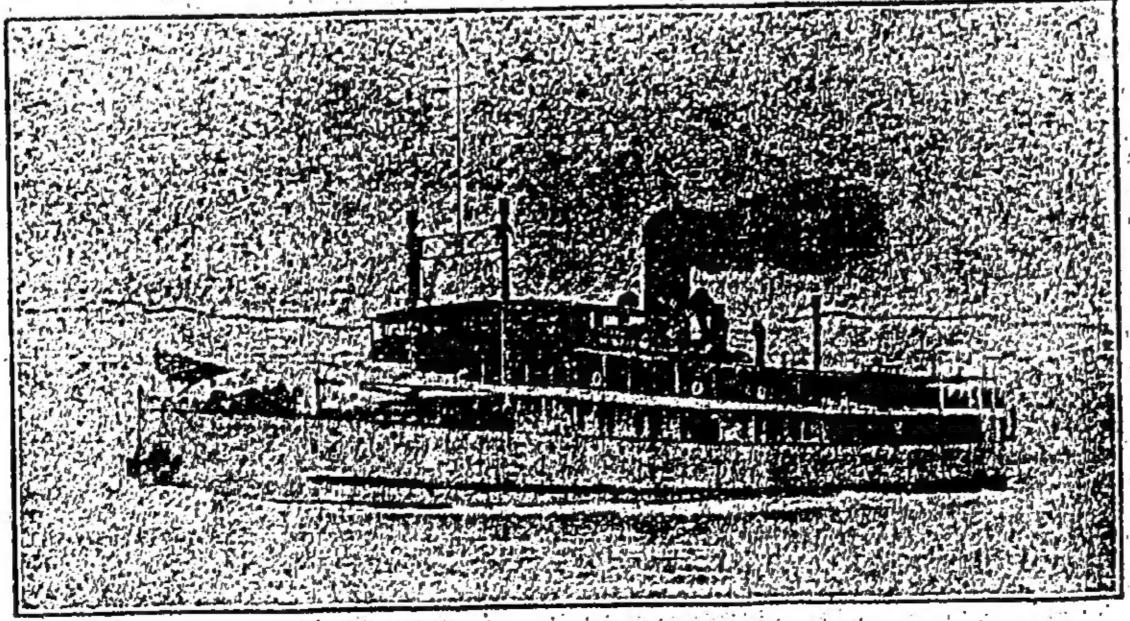
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ed the bus in question near the

indicated between the defendant

persons and he was entitled to

Road, Luz suddenly struck the

The other passengers, all of

complainant while the defendant

take the bus to the Police Station but, the passengers objected and

loft the vehicle. The defendant

attempted to leave but was res-

trained by the complainant and

both, together with another Por-

turuese, who appeared to be the

defendant's friend, were driven to

the Yaumati Police Station.

jabs in the stomach.

one glass of his spectacles.

down. On nearing Jordan

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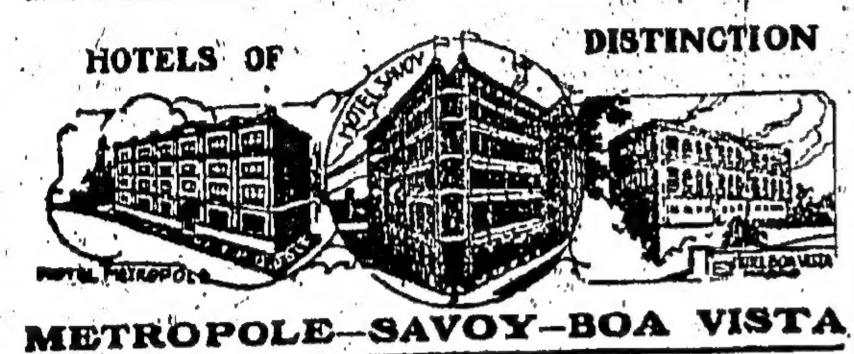
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PASSENGER TRAFFIC RETURNS. Hongkong.

MONTH'S DEPARTURES EXCEED ARRIVALS.

complainant 38 compensation.

The returns of passenger traffic for the month of September have now been issued by the Harbour Department and again show an excess of departures over arrivals, numbering approximately ter stated: 7,000. There were 3,000 more "Though I have listened to a 25/- per hundred pounds. This has arrivals than departures by ocean detailed report concerning the re-

The figures are: Ocean Steamers .. 47,829 44,687

Junk and Launches 6,492

ANOTHER BIG CANTON FIRE.

THIRTY HOUSES REPORTED DESTROYED.

According to Chinese telegrams received in Hongkong last night, another big fire broke out in Canton last evening, resulting in some thirty houses being destroyed.

It appears that the outbreak started in the heart of the city, at Tai Sun Street, at about 7.30 p.m. and raged for an hour and a half the commencement of Sino-Japbefore it was finally quelled by the

Fire Brigade. in the street, an old stone structure, persimon, so to speak.

escaped destruction. No casualties have so far been re-

SENIOR SOCCER.

KOWLOON PLAYING THIS

The Senior League match between the Club de Recreio and Kowloon, arranged for Saturday, has been advanced. The match will be played on the Recreio ground at 6 p.m. to-day. It is un-

AFTERNOON.

RECENT MOTOR BUS JAPAN SETTLE.

PORTUGUESE ORDERED TO PAY COMPENSATION. BOYCOTT CRIPPLING

BUSINESS.

A charge of assault was pre- SHINTO CLUB ADVOCATES AN ferred by a Chinese against J. A. de Luz, before Mr. W. Schofield at EARLY ADJUSTMENT. the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, as a result of a fight on

board a China Motor Bus at the junction of Nathan and Jordan NO PARTY PREJUDICE, berthed alongside the dock,

Tokyo, Oct. 2. Po Hing Theatre at 8 o'clock on its parliamentary members, over ing slightly. the morning of October 1st. He 30 in all.

between the two countries is at a standstill, with the consequence that merchants of the middle-class The defendant motioned the and downwards are in a very continued with safety under precomplainant to get up as there was difficult position. It is most reinsufficient room. Witness regrettable, for the sake of the plied that there was room for five nation, that the anti-Japanese agitation in China is growing more serious than ever and that various outstanding issues remain un complainant in the eye, breaking solved.

"It is, therefore, up to the is improbable. Shinto Club to devise pertinent whom were Portuguese, seized the effective mensures for the improvement of the relations of the two struck him further blows. Witcountries, by wising superior to ness then shouted to the driver to party prejudice."

Settlement Urged.

Following Mr. Tokonami's speech, the Shinto Club discussed and passed a statement on Chinese affairs as follows:

various problems pending between be on her maiden trip. Witness mentioned that after Japan and China are at a deadlock that his wrist-watch was missing, ted, for it is to the great dis-He had not, however, made any advantage of the two nations. report to the police about the loss. view of the general situation The defendant, in the witness- the Orient as well as of the inbox, admitted striking the com- herent, traditional relationship of plainant. He said that the the two nations, the Japanese Chinese had lenned heavily against Government should lose no time in his shoulder, and, when politely devising means for the prompt told about it, began to jostle opening of Sino-Japanese negotiawitness. The complainant also tions on the basis of reasoning on purposely gave witness several both sides, with the object of eradicating the root of controversy His Worship ordered both and of cumenting the friendship parties to be bound over for their of the two nations, thereby securfuture behaviour and further ing lasting peace and welfare for ordered the defendant to pay the the two nations."-Toho.

"Time Not Ripe,"

Peking, Oct. 2. Mr. Yoshizawa, Japanese Minister, to-day held a conference with high staff officials of the Japanese Legation, including Mr. Hori, who returned from Tokyo the day before yesterday, bringing with him a message from the government

steamers, but 10,000 more depar- sult of consultations between Mr. price as Cuban sugar sold in Durtures than arrivals by river Hori and the authorities concerned ban .- Reuter. steamers, while junk and launch of the home Gvernment, I am not returns were practically level yet in a position to make any remarks as to the contents of the

"As regards the Tsinan affairs, River Steamers ... 79,176 89,608 Sino-Japanese informal consultation has already been made though it is not yet completed. Total 133,497 140,681 In consequence, the definite time and place for the holding, of official Sino-Japanese negotiations in this respect have not yet been decided on.

Answer Not Forthcoming.

the time is not ripe for giving a slotted-wing safety device. reply to the second note of the tions are now being exchanged, it cannot be said that informal arrangements are not being conducted between the authorities of the two countries, though I cannot express my opinion at this juncture whether or not the time is ripe for anese negotiations. However, the present aspect may be put as be-It is stated that only one building ing still in the shape of green

> "With reference to the question of the gradated tariff, it is getting of 41,166 compared with the week evident that the Nanking Government intends to promulgate the tariff before long. As to its contents I should think that they are similar to what was suggested at the last Tariff Conference.

"The Nationalist Government has not yet officially asked the Powers concerned for approval of its new tariff, but it is to be expected that the Nationalist Government, before putting it in force, will communicate with the Governments of the Powers concerned, asking for their approval thereof. As for Japan, it is more than likederstood that both clubs are rely- ly that she will agree to the enforing on their teams of Saturday cement of the new tariff under a certain condition."-Toho.

RECENT SHIPPING CASUALTY.

HAKUHO MARU TOWED INTO HONGKONG.

COAL CARGO PROBLEM.

The Japanese freighter s.s. Hakuho Maru which stranded and was damaged in the Hainan Straits recently, has now been towed back to Hongkong by the Talkoo tug and is at present

The Talkoo tug took out a salvage party, who were successful The Shinto Club under the pre- in affecting temporary repairs, sidency of Mr. T. Tokonami held back to Hongkong, but it is undera meeting yesterday afternoon of stood that the vessel is still leak-

The Hakuho Maru has a cargo was beckened by the conductor to sit on the rear seat where there were already four Portuguese. Ship of Japan and China, the trade witness occurred the small space between the two countries is at a possible. She is now waiting for a decision of the local surveyors sent conditions.

If an adverse decision is given, she will have to be unloaded, docked and repaired here. It is believed that the vessel is so badly strained that the continuation of her voyage in her present state

ON MAIDEN TRIP.

NORWEGIAN MOTOR SHIP ARRIVES HERE.

A vessel new to the port appeared in this morning's returns under the Norwegian flag, this being the "That negotiations respecting motorship Toronto, understood to

She is a vessel of 4,600 tons leaving the station he discovered is a matter to be deeply regret- gross, her dimensions being length 381.8 feet, beam 52.2 feet and depth 27.7 feet. She was completed this year at the yards of the Cie, 'de Normandle of Rouen and engined 4,000 h.p. by Ch. and

Atel, de St. Nazaire. The owners are Wilhelmsen and Co., of Tonsberg, for whom Messrs. Dodwell and Co. are the local agents, while the master is Captain Arthur Tidemann, with a crew of 33 Europeans. She entered from Baltimore and Keelung with a cargo of 580 tons, on a draft of 13 feet 4 inches.

CUBAN BID FOR SUGAR MARKET.

AL PRODUCTS FORCED TO CUT PRICES.

Durban, Oct. 9. In order to meet the competition authorities regarding China of Cuban sugar imported via After the conference, replying to questions put to him by a Toho representative, the Japanese Minis.

The wholesale price of Natal sugar has for some time past been

RECORD ORDER FOR LIGHT PLANES.

FTY AVRO-AVIAN MACHINES FOR NEW YORK.

London, Oct. 9. The A.V. Roe Company, of Manchester, have received an order from New York for fifty Avro-Avian aeroplanes fitted with thirty to eighty horse-power Cirrus "Regarding the treaty question, engines and the Handley Page

This is believed to be the bigview of the fact that communica- gest order for light planes ever placed .- British Wireless ...

THE UNEMPLOYED.

A FURTHER CONSIDERABLE INCREASE.

London, Oct. 9. The number of unemployed in Great Britain on October 1st shows a further considerable increase,

Compared with a year ago, the increase is 260,525. The total of unemployed is now

1,386,400,-British Wireless.

FINE WEATHER.

To-day's Observatory report states :- The anticyclone has spread northward, and eastward. It is now central over the Lower-Yangtsze Valley. The forecast up to noon to morrow is:-N.E. winds, moderate; fine,

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